

DRIVE FOR THIRD PARTY TO AWAIT ELECTION RESULT

Chicago Mayor Expects To Face Most Bitter Fight Of Career

DEMOCRATIC ACTION ON HEARST TO DECIDE STEP

If Publisher Is Not Chosen As Candidate Plan Will Go Forward

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Opening of a drive for formation of the Hyland-Thompson-Hearst third party, now under consideration, will await the outcome of the municipal elections, it was learned to-day from sources close to the Chicago Mayor.

Mayor Thompson is expected to make the most bitter fight of his political career in his effort to be re-elected as the chief executive of Chicago next Spring. Thompson leaders have gone down to defeat in the two most recent elections.

The idea of a third party has long been a dream with Thompson leaders. They believed that Thompson could be elected to the senate and even to the White House through a third major political organization.

Definite form was given to this hope, according to reports, when Mayor Hyland and Teasdale were in Chicago last week. Thompson during the conference made a brief visit to Chicago, where he was met by Fred Lunden, his chief lieutenant and political advisor, is under treatment.

Lunden is understood to have urged Thompson to keep out of any active participation in the third party organization until after the April elections, when if elected, he will be in a dominating position.

Depends On Hearst
According to the belief expressed in the Thompson camp, no efforts will be made by Hyland or Hyland to form the third party until they see it is impossible for Hearst to become the Democratic nominee.

They hope to be able to form a fairly definite conclusion as to this possibility by Spring. Mayor Hyland, the only one of the three to make any definite statement since the conference, said: "If the old parties do not nominate men of the character of Hiram Johnson and William H. Thompson as soon as report from Columbus says that arsenic has been found in the stomachs of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin B. Henderson, Prosecutor Charles Radcliffe declared to-day. The internal organs of Mr. Henderson were taken to Columbus for analysis last night. The internal organs of the four small Henderson children, ranging in ages from 17 months to 7 years, whose bodies were found in their home with those of their parents yesterday, will be examined later, Coroner C. C. Gutesinger said.

Dr. R. W. Mondak, Henderson family physician, Henderson had on several occasions, while suffering from what the physician believed to be slow poisoning, told him he feared arsenic had been slipped into his food.

At the Pennsylvania railroad station at the Pennsylvania railroad station were trying to "get" him.

Two Are Slain In Home Of Sacramento Woman

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Jennie Radman, 40, and her son, 17, were shot and killed as they sat in the kitchen of the Radman home here last night.

The woman in a dying statement said that Martin Slonevich, cousin of John, shot her. Martin was a boarder at the Radman home.

Three children of Mrs. Radman, the oldest 9, were witnesses of the tragedy.

Police have been unable to find Martin Slonevich.

Marko Radman, husband of the dead woman, was away from home at the time of the shooting.

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85 Bodies Recovered From Alabama Mine Wrecked By Explosion

Terrible Scenes At Mouth of Shaft As Remains Of Victims Are Brought To Screaming Women And Children; Others Still In Workings

(By United Press)
BIRMINGHAM (Ala.), Nov. 23.—Bodies of eighty-five victims of the explosion which entombed 476 workers in the Dolomite Mine of the Woodward Iron Company near here had been brought to the surface at noon to-day.

The death toll of Alabama's second greatest disaster was expected to be swelled to 100 by deaths of some of the seventy-five workers who lie in hospitals severely injured or burned.

The other miners entombed by the explosion of mine dust yesterday were huddled together safely when found by rescue squads.

Crowds of relatives and friends jammed about the mine mouth became so frantic and hysterical as bodies were brought to the surface and stacked in heaps awaiting undertakers that the militia was called to control the situation.

Guards Present Barrier
The armed guards presented a barrier between the dead and fear-crazed relatives, anxious to learn the fate of their loved ones.

The first body of a dead miner was brought to the surface at 8 o'clock last night. The bodies were placed in temporary structures while awaiting stretchers and coffins from Birmingham.

Screaming women and children stood at the flaming entrance of the long slope shaft watching in agony the work of rescue.

The rescue workers were still exploring the vast distasteful mine, while a handful of the thousands of relatives and curious spectators, who jammed about the mine mouth as load after load of dead was stacked on the cold ground, still milled around, awaiting possible news of additional victims.

The explosion was caused by an electric spark igniting mine dust. Sheets of flame swept the mine and asphyxiated the miners.

First Survivors Appeared
The first of the entombed men—132 blackened workers—came out of the shaft immediately after the blast and within two hours many others, with terrified faces, appeared. After that a steady stream of survivors came out.

Crowds gathered at the entrance, as word of the disaster swept through the little settlement.

Fire System Works
The fact that the fire system was working was a relief to the miners. It was possible to pump fresh air into the mine.

The breaking loose of three cars on the trolley caused the explosion. The cars were backed up by the mine and broke electric light wires, causing sparks to fly, which set off the dust.

A tremendous explosion swept the first level about 300 feet above the mine entrance, and a sheet of flame followed along the level to the mouth of the mine.

Survivors Found
The rescue squads found the first survivors shortly after they entered the mine mouth. Struggling into the light, these survivors told of passing dozens of bodies lying in the main level.

Families of the miners quickly gathered. Word came from the mine that the rescue work was proceeding.

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Pay Cuts Faced By High State Office Holders

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 23.—Drastic cuts in the salaries of nine of the highest paid officials in the state service are embraced in a plan which has been placed in the hands of Governor-elect Richardson, it has been learned from reliable sources.

This information is said to come from those who are preparing the special budget figures which Richardson will submit to the 1923 legislature.

That the contemplated salary reductions are the first of a series of disbursements which are to be proposed to the legislature by the new governor in line with his revised policies, has been made known.

The following officials are affected by the proposed salary cuts: Jonathan Dodge, state auditor, salary of \$10,000, cut to \$8,000.

Melville Butler, Jr., general manager and engineer, state reclamation board, \$10,000, cut to \$8,000.

C. W. Andrews, manager, state compensation insurance, \$10,000, cut to \$8,000.

A. B. Fletcher, director, state department of public works, \$10,000, cut to \$8,000.

J. N. Oliver, attorney, state banking department, \$6,000, cut to \$4,000.

Al. McCabe, state insurance commissioner, \$6,000, cut to \$4,000.

James A. Johnston, warden, San Quentin Prison, \$6,000, cut to \$4,000.

Edwin T. Keller, state real estate commissioner, \$3,000, cut to \$2,000.

LABOR DECLARES ROADS CONCEAL PART OF EARNINGS

Union Leader-Makes Charge During Wage Increase Hearing

RAIL TRAFFIC SAID TO BE NEAR RECORD MARK

Workers' Need For Additions To Pay Are Urgently Presented

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Railroad management are concealing a large portion of their net earnings, while protesting against granting workers sufficient wages to maintain standards of living, E. H. Fitzgerald, president of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, comprising 270,000 workers, sought an advance of approximately 20 per cent in wages.

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High Cafeteria Under Fire In School Dispute

Brunton Summoned To Tell Board Why Store Should Not Close

Opposition to the cafeteria conducted at the Fresno High School, serving meals at cost for the students and faculty, and to the store conducted by the student body to produce a revenue for meeting the bonded indebtedness, is to be considered at the postponed meeting of the city board of education next Monday night.

Principal Herbert Brunton of the high school has been told to appear before the board and show why the cafeteria and store should not be closed.

Members of the board of education who could be reached to-day are ignorant of these instructions. Superintendent H. J. Cooper is now in Oakland, where he attended the annual convention of city and county superintendents of schools, held during the first three days of the week.

The source of the opposition is rumored to be from merchants conducting stores in the vicinity of the high school.

Greenlee Covert, president of the board, stated this afternoon that he did not know the matter was to be taken up and in fact had not heard about it at all.

He said if anyone appeared before the board at the meeting to request the closing of the cafeteria and store, a hearing would be given. The high school side of the question would then be obtained from Principal Brunton.

Congrave said that he had heard objections to similar institutions at other schools at other times, but not in connection with the high school.

Unless someone appears and brings the matter up, Principal Brunton will not be asked to close the cafeteria and store, and he does not make a practice of closing conditions without a reason.

No Opposition
Although another member said he had heard of any opposition, but he had considered there ability that the store and cafeteria would be opposed by merchants.

Tests of the school will be given if the question comes up, in board meeting stated.

PAY SLASH HITS ALL DEPUTIES IN COUNTY SERVICE

Supreme Court Decision Is Put Into Force By Officials

THIRTY ARE SLATED TO LOSE THEIR POSITIONS

Embarrassment Is Felt By Department Heads At Court House

Salaries of all deputies and assistants in Fresno county offices are reduced and some thirty will lose their jobs altogether, following a decision reached late yesterday at a conference of county officials with Deputy District Attorney Ray C. Wakefield.

It was held that the recent supreme court decision, to the effect that all county deputies and assistants added since January 1, 1919, and all salary increases granted since that date, are illegal, should apply in this county until such time as this issue should be decided definitely.

Officials Resentful
The situation at the court house to-day, as a result of this decision, is one of embarrassment, resentment and confusion.

The decision that this supreme court ruling could be held to apply here was made at a conference at the court house at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, participated in by Deputy District Attorney Wakefield, Auditor R. A. Mowbray, Treasurer D. E. Burton, Sheriff P. J. Cummings, Recorder R. M. Barstow, Tax Collector R. W. Baker, and Sheriff W. P. Jones.

County Clerk D. M. Barnwell and Surveyor Charles Jensen were unable to be present.

Wakefield advised the county department heads that in order to protect the county, and especially the auditor, auditor and treasurer, it would be best, until this question is decided absolutely, to withhold all salaries and salary increases from now until the new terms of county officials begins on January 1.

Under the county government act of 1917, which went into effect in January, 1919.

Increases Wiped Out
This means that all deputies and assistants, and all salary increases, added since January 1, 1919, will be wiped off the county pay rolls for this month, December, and the first of January.

The loss of pay to the county employees is the worst that can happen to any county employee under this ruling.

On January 1st next, the new county term of office begins and all the county jobs and salary increases now held illegal, will be legalized.

In the opinion of Wakefield and the county department heads, that the loss in pay to county deputies and assistants due to this recent ruling will be only temporary.

They believe that this present court will act later on this question.

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County Budget To Be Reviewed By Farm Bureau

Committee To Be Named To Attend Meetings Of Supervisors

To insure public representation at the meetings of the board of supervisors next summer when Fresno County budgets, assessed valuations and tax rates are fixed, the Fresno County Farm Bureau yesterday decided to create a committee of five to appear at the meetings of the supervisors as the annual board of equalization and review the board's assessment and taxation work. The tax committee of the farm bureau will be named by H. Knapp of Sanger, president.

Conference To Be Held
The farm bureau directors adopted resolutions calling for a conference of the board of supervisors of Fresno intended to bring about a change in the automobile parking regulations in the city for rigid enforcement of motor traffic laws, and endorsing the purchase by the Young Men's Christian Association of Sequoia Lake as a recreation center.

Approval was given at the meeting of a plan by G. E. Feltz, superintendent of the county schools, for the purchase of a building for the school grounds of the county.

Preliminary arrangements were made for a dinner to be given in the Hotel Fresno next Monday evening, commencing Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Feltz and Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Murphy.

200 Cited To Appear As Traffic Violators

As the result of a campaign being waged by Chief of Police Frank Trux, against motorists who violate Fresno's traffic regulations and operate their automobiles at night without proper light, more than 200 persons have been cited to appear before Police Judge J. G. Cleithron this week.

P. Bertucci had the most novel excuse to-day. He said "The light, sir, is out of my way home."

"Did you have it fixed?" asked the court.

"Yes, sir, very much," was the reply.

Clemenceau Is Flayed In Senate For Stand Taken

Senator Hitchcock Attacks Policy Of French Government Toward Germany; Speeches Of War Premier Are Assailed As Inappropriate

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Georges Clemenceau, France's War Premier, was attacked to-day on the floor of the senate for speeches in the United States.

Senator Hitchcock, Nebraska, former chairman of the foreign relations committee, formally replied to the Tiger's attack on this country's post-war policy.

"If France had to send an envoy to the United States to enlist American sympathy, she could have chosen a man more appropriate than Clemenceau," said Hitchcock. "While Clemenceau is not known as such a militarist as Poincare and others, he has been recognized as representing an extremely harsh policy toward Germany."

"And so I deplore the character of this messenger from France, and yet Clemenceau, violent as he is, is mild compared to the present government of France."

"I, therefore, am not criticizing Clemenceau so much as the present policy of his government, which must be altered if there is to be tranquility in Europe."

Quit-Tee Soon
Hitchcock said he was forced to agree with Clemenceau that the United States could not expect to see a great meeting of nations and to declare that Clemenceau's ideas about what the United States would be expected to do in European matters appeared to be very nebulous and that, somehow, ought to make that clear.

Borah also asked whether the United States could co-operate with France so long as the present policy of that government was maintained.

"No, we could not," said Hitchcock.

"Please tell us when the French policy has been any different than it is now," said Borah. Hitchcock continued that, as Clemenceau, in his speech, had invited counter criticism, he had invited counter criticism.

Rebellion and insurrection in Germany are certain this winter unless conditions are improved, Hitchcock asserted, in commenting on Clemenceau's utterances on reparations. "Germany is paying, all that she can, and the French debt is 'bottomless' nonsense," Hitchcock held.

France's attitude is 'defying Germany into the hands of the monarchists or the Bolsheviks,' he declared.

He charged Clemenceau with these huge reparations as a means of keeping the French people in a state of slavery.

Maintenance of black French troops in the Rhine is another device, he said, to keep the French people in a state of slavery.

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BAIRD IS AGAIN ON ACTIVE DUTY IN DEPARTMENT

Former Chief Is Nominal Head Of Organization Temporarily

DILLANE EXPECTED TO REACH FRESNO SOON

Berkholtz Asks New Leader To Disregard Wire Of Firemen

Thomas Baird to-day re-entered active service as first assistant chief of the Fresno Fire Department, thus completing the first permanent physical step toward reorganization of the executive branch of the department, pursuant to orders of Mayor Truman C. Hart and the city commission, issued upon recommendation of the fire commission.

Berkholtz Co-operating
Pending the arrival of James E. Dillane of Portland, Oregon, who is expected to reach Fresno either on Saturday or Monday, Baird will be the nominal head of the department, working in co-operation with William C. Berkholtz, former chief, who will become second assistant chief when Dillane assumes charge of the department.

Members of the fire commission held a long secret conference with Baird and Berkholtz in Hart's private office, the subject of which was said to have been chiefly matters concerning the administration policy to be followed by the new officials. The commission declined to divulge any details of the conference.

No Statement
Baird declined to make any statement regarding his views of the local fire department situation, or the course of action likely to be followed by the new administration, or the subject of the fire commission's action in appointing him to the position.

Although he has been in constant touch with the situation here, he has not as yet had time to thoroughly acquaint himself with the local conditions, he said, and until such time as he has learned the exact status of every phase of fire department activity locally, he will not make any statement for publication, he declared.

Dillane Expected
Although the commission has heard nothing from Dillane regarding his acceptance or refusal of Mayor Hart's offer of the appointment, it is believed that he will reach the city within the next few days.

Berkholtz yesterday telegraphed Dillane asking that the latter discontinue his telegram campaign regarding the fire department situation, and pleading his support to the new administration.

One of the outstanding features of the fire department situation is the commission's action in appointing Baird to the position, and the firemen's union, organized by a few members of the department.

Mr. N. J. Hines and J. J. Hines were authorized by the firemen's union to send a telegram to Dillane, requesting that he disregard the previous message, purporting to represent the firemen's union, and pleading 100 per cent loyalty to the new executive.

Action Denounced
Fire Marshal Ralph Williams, who is president of the firemen's union, (Continued On Page Three)

NEW WAREHOUSE TO BE ERECTED

Site Purchased To-Day For Building Of Concrete And Brick

Construction on a large concrete warehouse at the southeast corner of J and Los Angeles streets will begin immediately, according to Harry W. Shields of the Trembitt-Shields Company, whose purchase of the site for the building was made public to-day.

Shields bought a frontage of 150 feet on J Street by 150 feet on Los Angeles Street from G. H. Achen, at a price reported as \$15,000. The deal was made through Humphreys Bros.

The warehouse will be occupied by T. J. Hines, Glass Company, plans provide for a building to occupy the entire ground space of the property. It will be one story, concrete and brick, with the usual features of a modern warehouse.

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FUND DRIVE TO LAST BUT 4 DAYS

\$1,400 Lacking In First Day Of Campaign Is Reported

The campaign to raise funds for establishing the Fresno Y. M. C. A. to carry on its work next year will last only four days, as originally intended, in spite of the fact that the amounts pledged during the first two days lacked approximately \$1,400 of being half the necessary amount. C. H. Cobb, director of the drive, so announced to-day. The total collected up to last night was \$9,525, leaving \$12,675 to be obtained to-day and to-morrow. Cobb's announcement that no extension of the time limit of the drive is being considered is due to the confidence he feels in the success of the campaign as originally planned.

Yesterday the division led by Fred Bonkewitz secured \$1,735. Second place was taken by E. G. Hughson's division with \$1,561. The division commanded by H. W. Shields came in last with \$924. It was in second place yesterday.

CLUB INITIATES NEW MEMBERS

Nineteen new members were initiated into the Fresno Planning Club at the annual banquet at the planning mill Tuesday night. Short talks were given by Arthur W. Bernhauer, president and manager; City Commissioner Charles Dillon, a former millman, and John Diller, one of the employees. The program was in charge of F. J. Thiele and Edwin Stauder, toastmaster. Co-operation was the theme of the talks before the club.

Sanger Expects To Vote On \$90,000 In Bonds During January

(By Bee Bureau)
SANGER (Fresno Co.), Nov. 23.—The proposed \$90,000 municipal bond election, which is likely to be held during January, were discussed at the chamber of commerce luncheon here yesterday. Speakers were George E. Lovejoy, district attorney-elect and E. E. Giffen, both of Fresno.

Secretary Johnson of the chamber to-day said it was probable the election would be called at the meeting of the city trustees the first Tuesday in December. Tentative plans call for the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$90,000 in order that a new fire building may be erected, a modern combination chemical, hose and fire engine purchased and the sanitary sewer system, now partially built, completed.

The fire department, providing the bonds are voted, will have one paid member, who will operate the new engine. Sleeping apartments will be fitted up for the accommodation of volunteer members of the department.

Taxes Coming In Slowly At Coalinga

(By Bee Bureau)
COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 23.—Tax collector T. J. Petersen states that taxes are coming in slower this year than for many years past.

With two weeks remaining only about 20 per cent of the city taxes have been paid into the city treasury.

EXERCISE IN DANCING PARIS (By Mail to United Press)

Here are some statistics proving that there is exercise in dancing as practiced in France. An average dancer covers a distance of half a mile in ten minutes dancing an ordinary one-step. He will cover a mile and a half, however, doing the American fox-trot, but only a quarter of a mile in the tango.

CANDIDATES FILE EXPENSE ITEMS

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 23.—Thomas Lee Woolwine spent \$1,000 more during his unsuccessful campaign for the governorship than did Friend W. Richardson in his successful campaign. Woolwine spent \$1,400, according to expense accounts filed with the secretary of state, while Richardson spent \$431.16. The major portion of both accounts was spent in traveling.

Records show that Senator Hiram Johnson spent \$271.52 during his campaign. Frank H. Kerrigan, W. A. Sioane and Emmett Seawell, candidates for the supreme court bench, spent \$178.78, \$760.64 and \$472.24, respectively.

Funeral Services For Farrar To Be Held

Funeral services for Jackson H. Farrar, a resident of Fresno for the past three years, who died yesterday at his home, 1909 Anna Street, will be held at 3:30 P. M. to-day at the Lisle and Moss chapel with the Rev. W. H. Price of the Church of Christ, officiating. Farrar was 69, and a native of Arkansas. He came to California twenty years ago from Oklahoma, and settled in Dinuba where he was engaged in the raisin industry for several years. He served as constable there for two terms.

Besides his wife Mrs. Josie Farrar, he leaves six sons, J. J. Farrar, H. E. Farrar, and O. B. Farrar, of Fresno; F. W. Farrar, of Orange Cove; Ray Farrar of Los Angeles; C. B. Farrar of Oakland, and six daughters, Mrs. C. C. Threlkeld, Mrs. R. H. Hingley of Los Angeles; Mrs. D. E. Farrar of Berkeley, Dr. Catherine, Brady, Mrs. Austin Brown, of Oklahoma, and Mrs. J. V. Statton of Fresno.

DEMURRER IS SUBMITTED IN POLICE PROBE

Decision By Judge Trippett Is Expected To Be Issued To-Day

After an argument lasting more than an hour between O. L. Everts, H. M. Johnston and Special Assistant United States Attorney H. N. Ellis, a demurrer in a case of three indicted police officers was submitted to United States District Judge Oscar E. Trippett for decision this afternoon. The police officers are C. J. Wickstrom, 324 Blasingame and Oliver P. Durer, are charged by the federal officers with having deliberately hindered the operations of narcotic agents in this city.

In presenting his demurrer to the action O. L. Everts, attorney for the officers, stated that in his opinion the information against the officers was insufficient for trial in that the narcotic agents were not in the performance of their duties when arrested by the police officers as vagrants.

The question of the duties of narcotic or internal revenue agents was brought up and questioned by H. M. Johnston, city attorney who is also representing the police officers. Ellis was ordered to place before the judge his authorities for the indictment against the officers.

Police Chief Present

Besides the officers in the courtroom were Chief of Police Frank Traux and Captain of Police Ben Wickstrom.

In discussing the case Ellis stated that this is the first case in his experience where police officers have been charged with interfering with the performance of duties of federal agents.

He also stated that in his opinion it is the only case of its kind which has ever been tried in the Southern California District of the United States District Court.

SECRETARY OF PARK HIGHWAY VISITS VISALIA

Many California Cars Seen In Yellowstone, He States

(By Bee Bureau)
VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 23.—Gus Holmes, secretary of the National Park Highway Association, spent last evening in Visalia meeting local good road enthusiasts and laying the foundation for another meeting in the future.

He declared the progress of closing the "missing links" in the great system was very good and the hope has been expressed that by concerted action of all states interested the remaining gaps can be closed within a few years.

It was Holmes' first visit here in two years and, he declared, he found automobile tourists camps in care for the needs of the growing tourist travel in fairly good condition. He is expecting a still greater influx of tourists to all national parks next year.

Business Men To Aid National Parks

Naming of a committee on parks to start a movement toward obtaining a larger federal appropriation for General Grant and Sequoia National Parks will probably be the result of a special meeting of the board of directors of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce.

Manager H. E. Patterson of the local chamber called the special meeting on account of failure of that body yesterday to reach any definite conclusions on different subjects to be brought up.

The park committee will work in co-operation with other organizations on this problem which has created much attention in the valley owing to the superintendent of budgets at Washington cutting out the road appropriations asked for by the park superintendent, Col. White.

Officers Nominated At Exchange Club Meet

Officers for the ensuing term were nominated at a meeting of the Exchange Club, noon to-day, as follows: For president, Ben Miller, vice president, R. F. Langdon; treasurer, Henry Avila; secretary, Charles E. Mordorff, and for directors, Edward White, R. L. Barnwell, Felix Locher, W. C. Dancy, C. D. LeMaster, Rev. Thomas Clayton and B. W. Gearhart.

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The Deductions Of Harvey Hunt

By PHILIP FRANCIS NOWLAN
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Yesterday's Mystery Solution. Harvey Hunt simply made a common sense analysis of the case of the "Names Without Owners." The problem was to find the method by which Bertha Bernheim got the stolen silk to her husband, and from where.

If Bertha Bernheim did only four things, check her trunk, stop at hotels, eat and travel, and keep under constant surveillance all the undercoats of these activities, might constitute the loophole through which she managed to have the stolen silk forwarded to her husband. Her husband had ascertained that she communicated with nobody, a process of elimination, therefore, only the trunk remained.

But one trunk would not be enough. There must be more than one trunk. But the fact that there were many trunks had to be concealed. How? Obviously by having them all alike. It would be an easy thing for the Bernheims to keep their stolen silk stored in trunks that stood in rooms all over the country, and Bertha could exchange one for another simply by substituting one check for another at any railroad station without being detected. In spite of the fact that her every movement was "shadowed."

But how could the pair distinguish one trunk from another among their many duplicates? How does anybody mark a trunk to identify it? By initials. Initials stand for names. Right at this point a characteristic of the stolen silk came to the fore. It was a characteristic of the telegrams fitted Hunt's speculation. Names were mentioned in all the messages. These names stood for the trunks, and also served the purpose of leading detectives astray in search for a band of girls who did not exist.

Can you solve this case?

In Lion's Clothing. It was on Wednesday that C. Wallace Jones rented the furnished house on Bannock Street and took up his residence there alone.

Mrs. Willis, next door said that he never opened the back blinds, even in the daytime. Mrs. Briggs, across the street, declared he went out seldom and always looked up and down the street like a man who was afraid of something. The black eyes and aggressive blonde Van Dyke beard, which made him "resemble a lion—fierce-like."

It was on Sunday afternoon that Mrs. Briggs saw him bring another man home with him. This man was smooth shaven, she thought, and was dressed in rough clothing, apparently new. She noticed it particularly because of the contrast with Jones' well tailored appearance.

It was just dusk the following Wednesday when she glanced out the window and saw C. Wallace Jones come out of his house and walk jauntily down the street. He didn't seem "afraid-like" any more. The next morning a clerk of the real estate agency called with a key and a paper in the parlor. He a murdered man in the kitchen knife and Mrs. Briggs identified him by his clothing the man who had gone into the house with Jones on Sunday.

"A clear case," said Detective Quigley the following day, when with Harvey Hunt he revisited the scene of the murder. "Traced this guy by his clothing. Walker's big guy by his clothing. Jones ran away with his girl a couple of

Commercial Club To Give Thanksgiving Dinner To Poor Kids

One hundred poor children of Fresno will be given a Thanksgiving dinner with turkey and all the trimmings at noon Thanksgiving Day by the Commercial Club.

The decision to give the dinner was reached by special solicitation to-day of President Milton H. Fos-

sons and six other members of the board of directors.

The affair will be mothered by members of the Fresno Relief Society, who will select the poor children and bring them to the club-rooms.

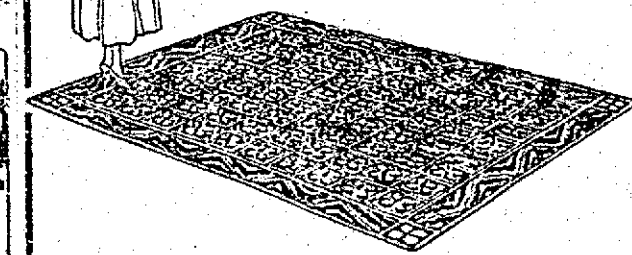
Meeting Scheduled—At a special session to-night at the John Muir school house, the Park District Improvement Association will discuss the present city administration and formulate plans for the opening of several new streets and paving of others.

Berg's Sale of Rag Rugs

Attractive Rag Rugs, woven from new cretonne and gingham rags—clean, sanitary and durable—excellent rugs for sleeping rooms, sun porches and other rooms of the home.

All colors are included—hit and miss patterns and plain centers with chenille and stripe borders, in blues, tans, pinks, rose, etc.

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Social News

WEDDING of Miss Gerda Kjaerbye and Lester O. Wolcott will be solemnized this evening in the Lutheran Church. Rev. Thomas Clayton will perform the ceremony in the presence of a small group of relatives and friends. Miss Millicent Williams of San Francisco will be the maid-of-honor. Following the service at the church, a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Kjaerbye on Fergus Avenue.

Mrs. Walter Shoemaker is entertaining with a large bridge party this afternoon at her home on M Street, the guests having been invited to meet her sister Mrs. J. W. Dwyer and her sister Mrs. Wilmer Green of San Jose.

Mrs. Shoemaker will entertain a group of friends with bridge Saturday afternoon.

The Hook and Johnson Club members are meeting at the home of Mrs. Newton A. Johnson this afternoon. The guests with the members are Mesdames H. L. Persons, John Gwynn, Frank Caryl and Herbert Fildes. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R. E. Meyering.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Bacon of Los Angeles joined Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bradford and Miss Florence Bradford today and together they are motoring to Berkeley, where they will pass the week-end and will attend the Stanford-California football game next Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Montgomery Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Maupin and Mrs. Grover Whitte are motoring north to-day and will be met in San Francisco by the Mesdames Helen and Betty Thomas, Robert Thomas, Lawrence Maupin, William Maupin and Grover Whitte. They will attend the football game.

Mrs. A. B. Dyer and Miss Annie Dyer returned to their home in San Francisco today after a several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Minton at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sidney Browne are entertaining at their home guests the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Browne of St. Joseph, Missouri. They are passing the winter in California and will be in Fresno for two weeks. Another house-guest in the same home is Mrs. Dora Welch of Oakland, cousin of Mrs. W. Sidney Browne.

Mrs. F. M. Hill will entertain the members of the Thursday Evening Bridge Club this evening at her home at the Hotel Fresno, followed by bridge games at her home on Brenner Street. Miss Marion Powell will be a guest with the members, playing in the bridge games in the absence of Mr. Hill who is in the East on a business trip.

Mrs. Russell Under and Mrs. D. S. Doten are giving a series of parties. The first one was given recently in honor of Mrs. C. H. Hotaling at the home of Mrs. U. Under on Franklin Avenue, and the guests who enjoyed the informal luncheon party, included Mesdames Arthur L.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Clara D. Neville to Dr. Jerome K. Gardner, November 19th, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Nordoff, 15 Haines Avenue. After the ceremony, which was performed by Judge G. W. Smith, a wedding breakfast was served to the small circle of friends, who were the wedding guests. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner will make their home at Balch Camp on the Kings River, where Dr. Gardner is resident surgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Neely are at their home on T Street, after an absence of several months at the Hotel Carlton in Berkeley.

Mrs. E. B. Tilton is a bridge luncheon hostess this afternoon, entertaining at her home. Her guests include Mesdames Harry Coffman, Robert Gunn, George Smith, Henry Ross, David Schlumberger, M. H. Tilton, W. C. Day and P. H. Bottoms.

Mrs. Hubert Leonard is visiting her grandmother in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reutt will leave tomorrow for the North and will attend the football game Saturday at Stanford.

The Wednesday Card Club will not meet next week, but the following week the members will entertain with a progressive dinner at the homes of three of the members, Mrs. Arthur Kohlman, Mrs. Virgil Reutt and Miss Ethel Long.

NEW COURT IS OPENED
Justice of the Peace George E. Graham held court for the first time today in his new court room on the sixth floor of the Brix Building. The court will also be on the sixth floor of the same building in the future.

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MUSIC

Lady Billy Proves Deftly Handled Light Comedy

Mitzi Was Charming As Ever And Her Support Much Above Par

By ISABEL MORSE

The Fresno Male Chorus will open its tenth season in Fresno with a concert on Tuesday evening, December 5th at the White Theater.

The Male Chorus is composed of Fresno business and professional men who meet once a week and enjoy the sound of their own voices under the able direction of Arthur Wahlberg. They make no pretensions to professional singing but there is not a novice among them. Their chorus work is full of spirit and vigor, their phrasing clean cut and their rehearsals are put through with an enthusiasm which makes successful performances a safe forecast.

The chorus has fifty singing members this year and is sponsored by an associate membership of thirty-four.

Rehearsals are held in the Congregational Church and at least three concerts are planned for each season at the White Theater.

Raymond Harmon of Los Angeles will be the soloist at the concert on December 5th. He will sing the solo part to Dudley Buck's Chorus of Spirits and Hours, and a group of solos accompanied by Mrs. Irma Harmon.

The program follows:

Viking Song... S. Colledge-Taylor
The Miracle of Love... Frank McKee
Battle Hymn from Menzies... Wagner
Redoubt Song... James H. Rogers
The Long Day Closes... Sir Arthur Sullivan
Bring Her Again... Frank Seymour Hastings
Chorus of Spirits and Hours... Dudley Buck
Solo part by Raymond Harmon
Tenor solo by Raymond Harmon
Life... Curran
Songs My Mother Taught Me... Dvorak
The Last Hour... Kramer
The World Love Me... Macdonald
Passing By... Macdonald
Le Reve du Des Griefs from... Massenet
Floods of Spring... Rachmaninoff

The announcement of a song recital by Mrs. Johanna Gadski has brought a thrill of anticipation to light to all real music lovers. Mrs. Gadski enjoyed a widespread popularity in this country in the years when Wagner was a favorite. Her voice will always be a favorite for the uneducated singer, and in the days now happily past, when the public demand for him was in great danger, she proved herself a great singer and became the idol of opera goers. She was a brilliant success and gave pleasure to thousands.

Her return to the American concert stage after five years of artistic exile has been met with approval from the critics and public, and her appearances on the coast are arousing interest everywhere.

She will sing in Fresno December 4th at the Fresno High School auditorium, and the management of E. O. Bondeson of San Francisco.

Of Interest To Women

The Latest From Queen Fashion's Court

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Mark The Window Screens. It is often a difficult thing to match up screens and windows. Avoid that nuisance by this simple means. Get a package of white-headed thumb tacks. With black oil paint, mark the same number on two tacks. Push one tack into the screen and the other into the corresponding window frame. In this way number all screens and corresponding windows.

THE HOUSEWIFE'S Idea Box

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If she intends to slight at the next corner, a woman may say, "Thank you; I am just going," but even if the distance is only two or three blocks she should accept the proffered seat with thanks.

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At least this is the opinion of the author of the famous French play, "The Return." An anxious wife listens at the keyhole while her husband and lover are supposed to be settling their differences over her. When, on her return, she finds that they haven't even mentioned her, but have been talking about a mutual remembrance of the trenches, she is furious over the slight, not understanding why she hasn't been mentioned. But she is told that, like the people in Madrid, Seville, Toledo and Granada, Miss Lindsay has returned recently from a year's travel in Spain.

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This evening at the Fresno High School under the auspices of the Parlor Lecture Club, Frank of the Red Tarnet, written and produced by Garnet Holme will be given.

Katherine Edison, interpretive dancer, will take the leading dance role and she will be assisted by Fresno children who will take the parts of woodland elves and sprites.

The children are Jane and Harriet Severance, Louise Gundelfinger, Shirley Simpson, Henrietta Watson, Marjorie Roberts, Barbara Smith, Billy Smith, Grace Anne Gregory, George Thomas and Harry Gregory.

Other Fresno people, who will assist with the evening performance are composed of the following members: Mrs. L. R. Willing, Mrs. H. O. Collins and Mrs. George Millward.

This is the first of three attractions that the club is allowing the public to attend. The other two are Judge Ben Lindsey, April 12, and Hugh Walpole of England, April 16th.

The season tickets will be on sale at the school building this evening.

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What's What

By HELEN DECIG



Waxing tongues sent Detective Inspector Joseph Merritt and Police Sergeant J. N. Aikin on a wild goose chase to-day.

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Somewhere had really been shot at Wilson's, 1127 J Street, last night. The story went something like this: It was midnight. A small crowd was enjoying a luncheon at the cafe. There was a fight. Somebody, a man, fired a shot at a woman. Another man fired, in return, a shot at the man who had fired at the woman.

The police were thought of. So the shooters were spirited away in an automobile. The story reached the police this morning.

Sergeant Aikin was sent by Lieutenant of Police Guy Shoun to investigate. He obtained some minor details and then he and Detective Merritt set out to investigate.

They went to the home of Miss G. Vail, the cafe's night manager. "I was at the store until midnight and all was quiet before I left," said she.

They hunted up the traveling salesman.

"The clerk at the hotel told me," quoth he.

And then they found the clerk. "It was only a joke," said he.

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MEN TO INSPECT ORPHANAGE SITE

Directors Of Brotherhood Of Yeomen Will Visit Here In March

Directors of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen will visit Fresno during the first week in March to inspect a site near Conterville, on which it is proposed to erect a significant orphanage, according to advice received by O. D. Williams, district manager of the order.

The Fresno County site is one of seven possibilities. More than 200 others have been eliminated on account of various disadvantages, Williams says. The selection was narrowed down to seven at a meeting of the directors in Des Moines, Iowa, several weeks ago. The local site is said to be favored from climatical and economical standpoints. The institution will be for orphaned children of members of the Yeomen. According to tentative plans 1,500 children will be taken care of when the orphanage is opened. The home will resemble a small town as at least 200 cottages will be built as well as stores, schools and administration buildings. Eighteen children will be fostered mother and father will be allotted to each cottage.

The site was inspected last August by A. N. Farmer, engineer of the project, who was accompanied by officers of Raisin City Homestead No. 1410 and H. E. Patterson, manager of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce.

News From Bay District

Pastor To Be Installed—Installation of the Rev. James Clement Held, Ph. D., as pastor of the Howard Presbyterian Church, Oak and Baker Streets, San Francisco, will take place to-night with exercises at the church. The service will be presided by the Rev. Ezra Allen Van Noy, D. D., pastor of Calvary Church. The Rev. Frank Mitchell Slesier, D. D., pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Oakland, will deliver the charge to the people and the Rev. Homer K. Pittman, pastor of Trinity Church, the charge to the pastor. The installation prayer will be led by the Rev. J. Wilson Lundy, D. D., the reading pastor.

Stanford Drive Near Mark—When the intensive period of solicitation for Stanford's medical endowment fund comes to a close to-morrow, the workers will be over the top in the goal of \$450,000. This was the prediction of the executive committee leaders last night following the completion of plans for the report meeting to be held to-morrow at the St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco. Milton H. Esberg and George Rolph, vice chairman, will be in charge of the gathering. Following the meeting it is the plan to carry on the solicitation work to secure Stanford's having an endowment.

Tong Gunman To Hang—Low Fat, gunman and hired assassin of the young Ying Tong, who slew Lim Bong, Chinese merchant and member of a rival tong, will be hanged at San Quentin Prison to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The slaying of Lim Bong in the tong war between the Sney Dongs and the Jung Yings took place May 18, 1921. The merchant's body was riddled with bullets from guns in the hands of Low Fat, who police charge, was hired for the murder for \$1,000, and a confederate, Lim Fook.

Girl To Wed At Show—Robert C. Crass, 543 Hayes Street, and Miss

Smith of Santa Rosa, his bride-to-be, have been selected as the couple to be married at the Orange and Olive Exposition, San Francisco, on Thanksgiving night, according to the Orange Chamber of Commerce. They were selected from several who were desirous of plighting their vows at the exposition altar. Attendances are being selected from the best families in Oroville, the service to be read with all the dignity and beauty of a regular church wedding.

Thanksgiving Vacation—There will be vacation in all the public schools during Thanksgiving week, the San Francisco Board of Education announced yesterday. Information to this effect was sent out yesterday. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the Teachers' Institute will hold sessions to consider matters of importance. Thursday being Thanksgiving Day and a holiday, the board decided that it would be impractical to have the teachers and children return to school on Friday, and in view of the circumstances the board declared Thanksgiving week a holiday.

Brotski Aide Ends Term—Douglas H. Newton, head of a local labor cabal, who with Harry Brotski was convicted of conspiring to violate the national prohibition law, was freed from the county jail at midnight. Newton was sentenced to the penitentiary by the trial judge, but later his sentence was commuted to a year in the county jail. In commencing his sentence the time he was in the county jail awaiting presidential clemency was taken into consideration. Yesterday United States District Attorney John T. Williams received notice from the United States Attorney General that Newton had served the full term of one year.

War Heroes To Dance—The American League of British War Veterans will hold a masquerade dance Saturday night at Eagles Auditorium, 272 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco. Prizes will be given for the best costumes. The league includes many men who fought throughout the great war and won decorations for bravery.

School Program Outlined—Oakland's school building program was outlined by E. Muller, principal of the Lakeview School, Oakland, at the Alameda County Commuters' Club luncheon at the Palace Hotel yesterday. He said plans were being made to accommodate an 18,000 increase in Oakland's school population within the next few years.

Merchant Drops Dead—Julius Walters Sr., 51, dropped dead in his store, 3105 Sixteenth Street, San Francisco, yesterday. Death was due to heart failure. Walters had been in business in San Francisco for twenty years, and at one time was in charge of several of the city's largest stores. He leaves a widow and two sons, Julius Jr. and Arnold Walters.

Famous Victim Found—Marcus Rosenblatt, 55, was found unconscious in his room at 1455 O'Farrell Street, San Francisco, yesterday, apparently overcome by fumes from a small oil heating stove. He was removed to the Central Emergency Hospital, where he died. An examination disclosed the fact that he suffered from organic heart disease.

Dairy Show Contest Winners Announced

Winners of prizes offered by the California Dairy Council for the best essays on Milk for Health, written by fourth, fifth, sixth and junior high school students are announced from the office of City Superintendent of Schools W. J. Cooper as follows:

Fourth grade, first prize, Emanuel Bork, Lincoln; second, Loreta Wrightson, Jackson; third, Bruce Longtin, Jackson, and Louise Morton, Jefferson; fifth grade, first prize, Lucille Louie, Lincoln; second, Lucille Hubbard; third, James Spang, Jackson and Joe Bartulovic, Jackson; sixth grade, first, Milton Griffith, Jackson, second, Olive Harrod, Jefferson; third, Balo Stowell, Lowell, and Hazel Amickhan, Jefferson; junior high school, first, Lucille Solovy, Washington; second, Rita Levine, Washington; third, Marjorie Twining, Technical and Mary Nichols, Washington.

BARROWS STANDS FIRM ON LEAVING

Head Of University Returns From Tour Of Eastern States

BERKELEY, Nov. 22.—President David F. Barrows of the University of California, returning yesterday from an Eastern trip, said that he would not withdraw his resignation submitted to the regents in June.

"It cannot be withdrawn," said Dr. Barrows, "because the regents have already accepted it." He expressed appreciation of the action of the regents in petitioning him to reconsider his decision to retire from the presidency. He said he had nothing but words of praise for both the students and the faculty.

In Hands Of Regents—The question of his resuming the presidency of the university, however, he said, had passed out of his hands as his resignation could not be recalled from the regents. He said: "I heard a great many pleasant things about the University of California in the East. The comment everywhere was that it was the most extraordinary institution of its kind in the country." Reports from the heads of similar institutions were that the students here do better and harder work. The comment on the part of the schools of the state is making the system more complete.

"I interviewed several noted educators who will soon be added to the faculty of our university. They predict great things."

East Seeks Data—To those who have complained of the salary scale here it may be said that Eastern institutions have been asking for data, and at least one institution is adopting the schedule that was put into effect upon my recommendation last Summer. It is the purpose of this schedule to increase the compensation of professors and instructors of unusual ability. Demands which are based upon the home side of life open up the same problems and difficulties. Other conditions are in every field of work. At one of the conferences I attended I found that the scale here was the highest of any of the institutions represented.

Dr. Barrows said the names of the educators to be added to the faculty here would not be made known until later.

Shakespeare Given By Fresno High Students

The mob scene from Julius Caesar was given before the students of Fresno High School yesterday by the first period dramatics class. The class was assisted by Leo Cooper, instructor in drama, who took the part of Mark Antony. Other characters were: First citizen, George Weber; second citizen, Alton Williams; third citizen, John Avery; fourth citizen, Philip Babel.

The combined bands of the high and technical schools, led by Santa Emma, played a number of selections. Ted Duncan, accompanied on the piano by Miss Mary Orr, played Lullaby and Saxaphobia, saxophone solo.

Numerous recitations were given by Glenn Myers.

Legion Will Initiate Seven Members To-Night—The initiation of seven new members, who will be admitted to Fresno Post No. 6, American Legion to-night, will be followed by a dance in the legion auditorium. The entertainment will be a joint affair with the women's auxiliary. Arrangements are in the hands of a joint committee, consisting of Judge J. G. Crichton and S. L. Harrington. Refreshments will be served by members of the auxiliary. Candidates who will be admitted to-night are Ralph Owen, Joe P. Finnegan, Albert L. Cantrell, H. O. Branson, Raymond J. Morgan, Leon F. Mackeskie and J. Z. Hertzler.

Better Business Move Postponed Till Spring

Inability of speakers from San Francisco and Los Angeles to attend a meeting of the Fresno Better Business Bureau Friday night at the Commercial Club has resulted in a postponement of the movement until February. A committee will be appointed to make a general survey of the conditions in the city and they will report to a meeting before the meeting the first of the year.

STUDENTS SPEAK ON STAMPS—An extensive program was given to the students of the Fresno High School Stamp Collectors' Club, Charles Kaster spoke on Special Delivery Stamps issued during the War. The significance of the design of the Stamp was the subject taken in a talk by Roy Schmalte. Robert Schmidt spoke on The Most Convenient Method of Classifying Your Collection. Joe Warwick, George Strong and Roy Schmalte were voted into membership.

MARTIN MADSEN IN HERE—Martin Madsen, formerly secretary to Governor William D. Stephens and now connected with the Southern Pacific, is in Fresno visiting with his parents.

Wretchedness OF Constipation
Can Be Quickly Overcome by
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS
Purely vegetable—act sure and gently on the liver—drive out bile—break up biliousness—ache, dizziness and indigestion. They do their duty.
Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price

Men's Flannelette Pajamas
Special \$1.75
With silk frogs.

Radin & Kamp
FRESNO CALIFORNIA
YOUR HOME STORE

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS
Special 95c
Blue chambray.

Boys' School Suits

"Johnny Tu-Pants"

All-Wool Suits, \$12.50

These Suits are all-wool and the season's newest models and patterns. All hand tailored Suits with Tu-Pants. Coats are the new Sport model with patch pockets, and are fully lined. In all colors. Tu-pants with lined and taped seams.

School Suits, \$5.45

We have put together all our odd suits and put them at one special low price. There are not all sizes in this lot.

"JACKIE COOGAN" Suits, \$7.50

For little boys. All-Wool Tweed Middy Suits, in all colors, with both white and dark colored braid trimmings. Sizes 2½ to 8 years.

Boys' Overcoats, \$12.50
All-Wool Coats with raglan sleeves. All colors.
Men's Felt Hats, \$3.50
All colors and shapes. Silk lined.

Boys' All-Wool Mackinaws, \$6.95
Double-breasted. Coats with mufit pockets and fancy backs. All sizes 8 to 17 years.

New Arrivals—
In Juveniles' Polo Cloth Overcoats
\$11.00 to \$17.50
In all shades.

New Tensil Tweed Caps, \$2.00
With unbreakable visors. Silk lined.
Boys' School Caps, 50¢



Boys' RUFFNECK COAT STYLE Wool Sweaters \$3.65
BROWN AND GREY

Boys' WOOL RUFFNECK Slip-over Sweaters \$3.65-\$3.85

Boys' FANCY STRIPE Woven Madras Blouses \$1.50

Men's HEAVY FLEECE Union Suits Ecru Only \$1.50 Suit

Men's FALL WEIGHT CHALMERS Cotton Union Suits \$2.00 Suit

Men's MEDIUM AND HEAVY COOPER Wool Union Suits \$3.50 Suit

Men's All-Wool Union Suits \$5.00 Suit

Young Men's Sport Model Suits \$17.50

In neat grey plaids and stripes. One-half belted models with four smart flap pockets.

Men's All-Wool, Wool and Worsted Conservative Suits \$25.00

In a fine hard finish cloth. Serge lined and hand tailored. In neat invisible plaids in grey, brown and black shades. Three button sack coats. All sizes.

MEN! Get One of These BIG FINE OVERCOATS \$29.75

They Are Big Values For This Money—See Them Today

Men's Overcoats for \$15.00

Heavy dark grey double breasted overcoats with belt in back, convertible collars and large pockets.

"KUPPENHEIMER" SUITS At \$31.50-\$34.50-\$40.00

HAVE EVERYTHING YOU WEAR

You want becoming style—You want fit—fit that lasts—You want full value in long wear—You get all these in Kuppenheimer.

Men are appreciating the fact that we are exclusive dealers in Fresno, in Kuppenheimer Good Clothes.

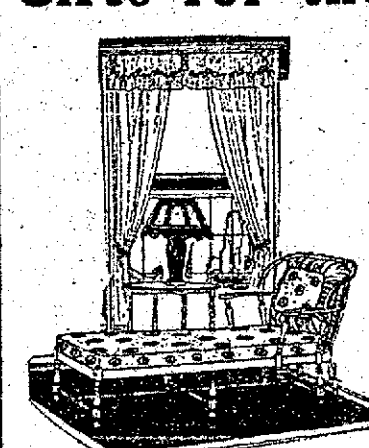
Men's and Young Men's Extra Pants, \$5

To match almost any coat. In cassimeres, Worsted, Flannels, Hirds Serge and other cloths. In all shades and combinations. With cuff bottoms. (Fitted Free.)—Third Floor

MEN'S WOOL GLOVES
50¢ 75¢ \$1.00
MEN'S LINED DRIVING GLOVES
Wrist and Gauntlet
\$1.29 \$1.65
\$2.25 \$2.50



Gifts for the Home



What could be more in keeping with the Christmas spirit than a beautiful and artistically arranged home?

The Following Hints Will Aid You to Select Individual and Useful Christmas Gifts

A beautiful floor lamp will change the entire atmosphere of a home. Beautiful draperies will add beauty and cheerfulness to what might have been a drab and unattractive home. Beautifully carved book ends, wonderfully decorative pillows, dainty little tea tables and artistic flower stands, all of which are necessary to make a home complete.

Make This Christmas a Homey Christmas
We Will Gladly Aid You
California Drapery Co.
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A Small Payment Down FRESNO OUTFITTING CO. A Little More Every Pay Day
FURNITURE, RUGS, STOVES, LINOLEUM

Thanksgiving Furniture Specials

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY THE DINING ROOM SET YOU HAVE BEEN WISHING FOR

Walnut Dining Set PRICE \$75.00
Beautiful Walnut Dining Table in Period Design and four chairs with genuine leather slip seats.

Oak Dining Set \$39.00
A less expensive Dining Set in solid oak, consisting of 6-foot extension table, 42-inch top and four chairs to match.

A Small Deposit will bring one of our special Dining Sets, of which we have a large selection, to your house in time for Thanksgiving. Just Tell the Man to Charge It

FRESNO Outfitting Company
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BRITAIN BUILDS GIANT WARSHIPS

In Spite Of Disarmament Agreements, Fighting Monsters Are Planned

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Great Britain's navy will have the largest and most powerful warships afloat when the two new battleships which are to be laid down in January are completed. Not even the two new super-dreadnaughts soon to be added to the American navy can equal them in size, speed and armament. In the opinion of naval experts here based on press descriptions of the new ships. These experts also believe the addition of these two ships to the British navy will give it a considerable "edge" over the United States even in capital ship tonnage, the basis on which the 5000-ton limit of naval strength for England, the United States and Japan was figured in the naval treaty of 1922. The original agreement would have prevented one keeping the Colorado and the West Virginia, the two new battleships soon to be completed and commissioned, but Japan's insistence on retaining the Mutsu, pride of her navy, forced a compromise. As a result England was permitted to build two battleships not to exceed 35,000 tons each. In view of the national demand for economy in England and the fact that with her excess of powerful cruisers and other auxiliary craft, it was generally believed here that Great Britain would not take advantage at this time of her right under the treaty to build the new capital ships. Caused Surprise. Press reports therefore that contracts had been let for the two vessels and they would be laid down in January caused considerable surprise. Construction experts here point out that with no limit of cost, so that the finest steel and other material, as well as workmanship, can be used, 35,000-ton limit will impose little handicap on the constructors. The cost of each, according to the specifications, is to be \$40,000,000. This, of course, gives British constructors much more territory than the same figure would here, both labor and material being much cheaper there. Except for the battle cruiser Hood, headliner of the Royal Navy, with her 41,200 tons, the two new fighting craft will be in a class by themselves. Next to them come the Negate and Mitsushima of the Japanese fleet, having a tonnage of 33,800 tons each, with our Colorado and West Virginia close up with their 32,000 tons each. British Monsters. With a length of 630 feet the British monsters will be but slightly shorter than the 6,000-ton Indiana type of battleships under construction for the American navy, but scrapped by the treaty. This was held to be the maximum size in view of the limitations of

the Panama Canal. They will have nine sixteen-inch guns in a triple turret with a total broadside salvo of about 20,000 pounds and a great array of anti-aircraft guns. Our new super-dreadnaughts carry eight sixteen-inch guns with a total broadside salvo of 16,500 tons. This in connection with the fact that the higher elevation of the British guns gives them also a slightly longer range makes a considerable difference.

In speed, the new ships will out-class American dreadnaughts. To keep pace with the Queen Elizabeth and Royal Sovereign types they must approximate twenty-five knots as against the twenty-two knots those of the United States are expected to make.

Unreserved Auction Sale

Friday, Nov. 24

At Our Sales Room, 803 Broadway

Sale Starts at 1 P. M.

We are offering to the public at their own price furniture and household goods consisting of Chesterfield upholstered chair, leather office chair, beautiful decorated 38 note upright piano, Pathe cabinet phonograph, rugs, dressers, lot of new mattresses, fireless cooker, lamp stick and shade, oil painting, beds, wires, gate leg tables, dining table and chairs, ice boxes, chairs, rocker, 150 yards hall linoleum, runner electric fixtures, wood and coal stoves, oil heaters, gas heaters, congoletum rug, dishes, cooking utensils, curtains, pillows, bric-a-brac, etc.

This is no doubt the largest auction sale ever held in this city. Don't fail to attend this sale.

J. GOVAER, Auctioneer and Appraiser

Cobb May Be Induced To Select Fresno As Tiger Training Camp

Payne Enroute To Tell Ty Of Advantages Of The San Joaquin Climate. Leonard Will Be Attraction. "Dutch" Needed In 1923 Scramble For Flag

By DICK DOWN
FRESNO is still in the market for a big league ball club. Even with Salt Lake coming here directors of the local organization feel that a flock of major performers would add to Fresno's fame and accordingly an effort is being made to bring the Detroit Tigers to the San Joaquin Valley for Spring work.

LeRoy Payne of the Sun Maid Raisin Growers who is in the East, is enroute to Atlanta, Georgia, to-day to interview one Tyrus Raymond Cobb, chief of the Tigers and sell him the Fresno idea. Cobb likes California in general and Fresno in particular.

He has been training in Atlanta, the home town, but has indicated that he might be induced to make the California trip.

One of the big inducements Fresno has to offer is Hubert B. Leonard, southpaw extraordinary, on the roster of the Detroit club, but now on the suspended list because of salary differences.

It is well known that Ty wants "Dutch" on the staff when the season opens for the 1923 race. Leonard is not averse to the idea provided that the question of coin can be settled. Last year a matter of \$2,500 is reported to have stood in the way of Leonard reporting to the local club. It is believed that he could have been spent for "Dutch's" services and Navin would have realized a good profit on his investment, for with Leonard pitching for the Tigers, they would have had the same old race in the American League.

With Cobb sitting pretty, but needing the services of a capable left-hander for his coming launch after the pennant, it is reasonable to believe that the Georgian will be more than willing to talk terms with the local club. The question is settled, the suspension is the same as last year.

With Detroit training in Leonard's home town, "Dutch" and the local club have a good chance to have won that old race in the American League.

While in the East, Payne will see to it that the local club, before Payne left Fresno, the high mogul of baseball gave his ruling regarding exhibition games. No one has questioned but that Landis would have been glad to have the Fresno association expects to secure the expense money entailed in bringing whatever club may select Fresno for its Spring camp.

Jack Cook in a recent letter declared that the Salt Lake directors might be willing to accept a contract which was signed, covering the Spring training situation. Although no action has been taken regarding the playing of the first exhibition game, it is believed that this plan will be brought to a successful ending.

It is the feeling of the Coast League directors that the switch should be left up to the Salt Lake club and the members selected to play the two opening weeks in the Utah capital. Occasionally Salt Lake comes here for Spring work during the first part of April, but the general climatic conditions at that time are not the best for baseball.

Should the managers and club owners decide for the change, it is hardly probable that the remaining members of the circuit would offer any objection. It is almost a foregone conclusion that the California club will draw the Salt Lake opener, and it is almost as great a cinch that that club would prefer to play in Fresno rather than take their athletes up in the snow.

However, the attitude of the Fresno baseball public will have a lot to do with the decision. If this city is giving Salt Lake and the club playing exhibitions here the best of support it is almost a cinch for Fresno to have two weeks of Coast League baseball, and possibly additional two weeks at the end of the season.

Madera High Triumphs Again Over Merced By Score Of 21 To 0

(By Bee Bureau)
MERCEDES (Merced Cal), Nov. 22.—Madera High School triumphed over the Merced High School football team yesterday afternoon by a score of 21 to 0. It was Merced's fourth straight defeat of the season, but the local coaches and students are not discouraged over the continued bad luck for they consider that this is really Merced's first year in football contests, not having had a team for the past two years prior to the present season.

Madera proved too speedy and strong on the offensive yesterday, scoring a touchdown and conversion on each of the first three periods, being content to play a defensive game during the remaining period.

Justine Union High Girls Defeat Hilmar In Basketball Game

(By Bee Bureau)
GUSTINE, Nov. 22.—The girls of the Justine Union High School defeated the girls from the Hilmar Union High School in a one side game of basketball by a score of 50 to 4 yesterday afternoon on the local court.

The local team of girls is rated as one of the best in the valley, many of them having played for three years past.

The local players were: forwards, Mary Pearce and Margaret Miller; center, Lois Starkman; side, Tina Jensen, guards, June Jensen and Adeline Hansen.

BRUINS READY FOR CARDINAL CLASH

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 22.—Both California and Stanford let down on their training to-day and awaited Saturday when the whistle blows for the annual "big game" to decide football supremacy between the two universities.

The Bears went through their last hard drill yesterday afternoon and will spend the remaining time of the day in an uneventful practice where they can have peace and quiet.

The Cardinals left last night for Los Gatos where they will remain until Saturday morning.

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Harry Coffee Team Continues Winning In Class A Division

Droping the first game to the El Siedo five but winning the next two by safe margins the Harry Coffee bowlers last night took it to the top of the Standard building at the head of the standing. Copeland of the Coffee team had high score of 535 for the three games.

In the B league the Olsen Sines defeated the Brunswick Cleaners two out of three games. Knaut had high game with 204. To-night both of the Elks Club teams will meet.

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If the Junior College of Bakersfield can put out a team that eleven with the high school champions, that club will be in a position to be on hand for the Bulldogs when they buck the Kern County eleven.

Jones is getting his proteges ready for the tussle. Scrimmage was held last night, and Kananian and Rice were given a chance to try some place kicks.

Yale, Harvard, Army And Navy Battle Saturday

(By the United Press)
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FRESNO BACKS OUT WITH INJURIES

Coach Jim Hewart's Fresno High School eleven is ready to invade Selma to-morrow. Hewart is having trouble with his backfield. Wright was injured last Friday and will not be able to play the rest of the season. Nabwa has a bad leg and that will keep him from to-morrow's conflict. Jacobson is being bothered with an injured foot and he is also listed among the doubtfuls.

"Red" Johnson is making a stab at halfback, but the boy's natural position is end, and after playing there for almost a whole season, he is inclined to change upon a few days' notice.

The coach has been experimenting with Hancock's ability to punt. The team is showing considerable progress, and should Jacobson be out it is quite possible that Steve will be out of the kicking for the local squad at Selma.

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Bottle **25c**
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Pkg. **10c**
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Tin **12c**

Genuine Eastern Corn,
Tin **9c**
Ghirardelli's Eagle Cake,
Chocolate, pound **21c**
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Tin **10c**
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Bottle **11c**
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Tin **9c**

SEGO MILK
TALL
CANS, **8c**
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Pkg. **17c**
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Raisins, Pkg. **9c**
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Raisins, Pkg. **10c**

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Can **\$1.75**

Del Monte
Tomato Catsup, **16c**
Bottle
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Pkg. **12c**
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Pound **21c**

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Small
size **20c**
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size **39c**
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size **79c**
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Tin **16c**

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5s **24c**
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CANDIED ORANGE AND LEMON
PEEL, Pound **29c**
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Tin **12c**

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Pork and
Beans, **8c**
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Pint Tin **20c**
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Potatoes, Tin **20c**
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Tin **10c**

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WING TIP WORK SHOES
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16 inches high, wing tip, with
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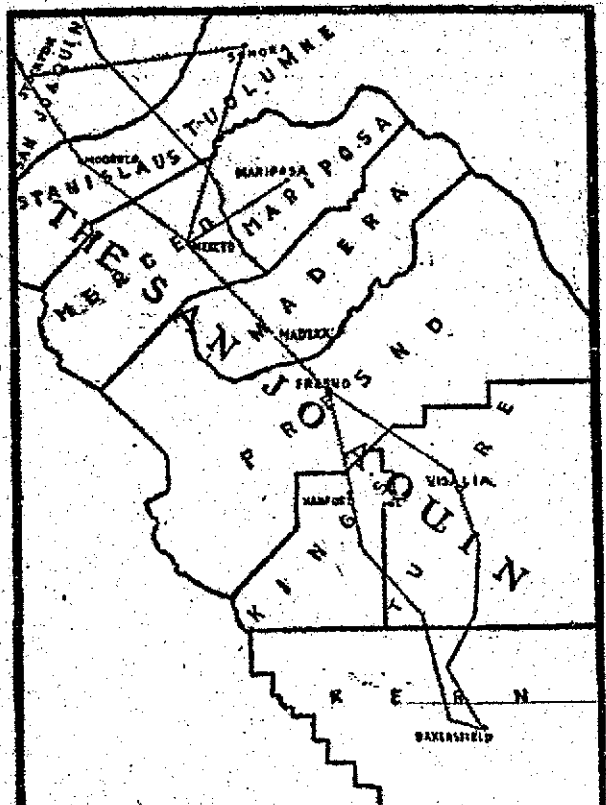
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GOWNS
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THE FRESNO BEE

SAN JOAQUIN NEWS

FRESNO, CAL., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1922

Consolidated District At Selma Collecting \$1,500 Daily In Irrigation Taxes

SELMA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 22.—R. L. Avenell, tax collector for the Consolidated Irrigation District, today announced that collection of taxes is progressing satisfactorily and receipts have averaged slightly in excess of \$1,500 per day since Monday, November 6th, when the 1922 taxes became due.

This is the first year for the Consolidated Irrigation District to collect taxes, and although the land owners who use water from canals for irrigation purposes must pay the Consolidated Canal Company of Fresno, whose property has been purchased by the irrigation district for 1922 water service, and the irrigation district for 1923 service, the majority of the taxpayers are doing so gladly, appreciating the fact that in a few years the canals will belong to the district.

Work Resumed At Hetch Hetchy Following Strike

STOCKTON (San Joaquin Co.), Nov. 22.—Work has been resumed with full crews at all camps on the Hetch-Hetchy project and the strike ended up by radicals is at an end. Many of the old employees have returned and a number of new men are on the job.

C. C. Tinkler, president of the Construction Company of North America, in charge of the tunnel work, denies reports any concessions were made to the strikers by the company. He declares that none of the strikers' demands was made until after the men had quit work, and states that many of the

SAFE CRACKERS OPERATE IN MODESTO OFFICE

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—Burglars secured \$175 in cash and \$50 in checks early this morning when they looted the Modesto Fuel Company's office here, and while Watchman Wiley was at the other end of his beat, turned out the safety light and broke open the safe.

The burglars operated the combination of the outer door of the strong box, and hammered their way into the inner compartment, with a heavy bolt and blocks of cordwood, used for hammering. Wiley reported the robbery at 2 o'clock this morning to W. H. Park, the manager of the company, who notified the police.

The officers have secured fingerprints left by the bandits and are photographing footprints left by them in the soft dirt near the office.

No clues as yet been secured, the officers say, which will lead to the arrest of the men.

RED CROSS SELECTS OFFICERS

NEWMAN (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—J. H. Kaufman, Dr. R. H. Burney, W. H. Tinnin, F. E. Dwyer and Mrs. Jeff Tinnin were elected a board of directors of the local branch of the Red Cross.

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BAKERSFIELD MAN COMMITS SUICIDE IN BARBER SHOP

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 22.—L. R. Bouché, proprietor of a barber shop here, committed suicide early this morning in the basement of his shop, shooting himself with a revolver.

He left a note to his wife and his friend, stating that the best way to end his troubles. He gave a list of his debts and told of his business affairs, then went to the basement and fired the fatal shot.

WOMAN DIES BY OWN HAND AT STOCKTON

STOCKTON (San Joaquin Co.), Nov. 22.—Despondent and in poor health, Mrs. Caesar Merlo, formerly Lottie Podesta, shot herself with a revolver at her home yesterday. She died at the Emergency Hospital three hours later.

Wednesday evening, Mrs. Merlo attempted suicide by taking poison but was intercepted. Falling in this she secured a revolver and shot herself through the roof of the mouth while her husband was in the kitchen preparing a cup of coffee.

During the summer Mrs. Merlo, afflicted with diphtheria, and in poor health, she complained of stomach trouble but was informed by a physician that she was not suffering from any organic trouble and would recover after a period of rest and quiet.

Besides the husband she is survived by two sons, aged 6 and 8 years of age.

THREE STATES REPRESENTED AT COCKEREL SALE

TULARE (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—Three hundred utility breeders and poultry fanciers of California, Oregon and Washington attended the egg record cockerel sale at the Tulare County Fair grounds yesterday when fifty-seven high-record birds consigned by leading poultrymen of the Pacific Coast were auctioned.

Top price of the sale was \$92.50 paid George C. England of Ingleside for each of two White Leghorns consigned by the Tancred Farm of Kent, Wash. England received one of the Leghorns to W. C. Hindman of El Cajon for \$200.

Heavy Frost For To-Morrow Is Predicted

With a heavy frost predicted for the San Joaquin Valley to-morrow morning, Fresno agricultural authorities chiefly were concerned today, regarding possible frost damage to a large measure on vegetable crops, now being picked.

Frost at this time does not carry serious significance to grape growers, as about all the damage that can be done to the grapes has already been wrought by previous frosts, officials in the county horticultural commissioner's office said.

The oranges can survive quite severe frost, it was stated, but the possible effect on the citrus fruit is always problematical before the frost, as the possible damage depends in a large measure on weather conditions immediately before and after the visitation.

Orange picking is in full swing in most of the citrus localities of the valley.

EXCHANGE IS ENDORSED BY FARM BUREAU

MADERA (Madera Co.), Nov. 22.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Farm Bureau directors, the board went on record as endorsing the California Farm Bureau Exchange and passed the following resolution:

"Realizing that the success of agriculture depends on co-operation, and whereas co-operative marketing has proven successful in a number of commodities; therefore, the board of directors of the Madera County Farm Bureau hereby endorse the California Farm Bureau Exchange."

Mrs. Howard Burns was named to complete plans for the annual meeting of the county, to be held some time in January. Mrs. Burns is well informed on this subject, being one of the largest poultry raisers in the county.

The Berkeley convention, to be held Friday at the high school auditorium, also was endorsed. Dealing with a new industry in this county, but is becoming more popular every year, and an enthusiastic meeting is looked forward to.

Clubwork, such as pig, poultry and calf clubs, was discussed and during the coming months each center will help to foster such clubs in their district.

The \$4,000 that was appropriated to the farm bureau by the board of supervisors will be spent for the purchase of a new building in which the county office will be located. At noon the ladies of the Baptist Church served dinner to those present.

STOCKTON WATER PLANT APPRAISED BY COMMISSION

STOCKTON (San Joaquin Co.), Nov. 22.—The railroad commission in a decision announced yesterday fixed \$1,400,000 as the just compensation to be paid for the water system in the city of Stockton which the city is taking steps to acquire. The compensation was fixed upon application of the city, filed in 1921, and \$1,250,000 was determined as reasonable value.

Company claimed \$2,500,000. The company claimed a value of \$2,555,185 for its Stockton water system, while the city submitted appraisals by engineers placing the value of the property at \$811,553 and \$1,327,735. The commission pointed out that these appraisals did not include all the items in the inventories and are not strictly comparable with the company's claim but are to be given consideration in the determination of the condition and value of the property.

In addition to physical valuation the figure arrived at for just compensation includes the value of the water system in this connection. The commission points out that upon the claim of valuation of \$2,555,185 made by the company the net revenue for 1921 would yield a return of only 1.45 per cent.

No Prospects Shown

"From the foregoing," the commission observed, "it appears that the Stockton system is not now in an especially prosperous condition. In fact its prosperity depends upon future rate increases and hence is to some extent a matter of speculation. It is not clear that the system has for many years paid operating expenses and there has been for many years some return in addition. We are satisfied, therefore, that it has some going concern value."

As to the company's claim of a separate valuation for its underground water supply the commission declared that the company's right to this water is not such as to call for a separate value in addition to the land value. Such value as it possesses will therefore be included in the amount fixed as the value of the land.

The land of the company was appraised as of October 6, 1921 at \$22,950.

New Residences Being Built In Sonora To Meet Housing Demands

SONORA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—The housing conditions of Sonora are not nearly adequate to meet the demand. Deputy Sheriff Edmond Hoskin and George C. Cleaves, local manager of an oil company, have just completed two modern cottages in the residential district and a half dozen other cottages are in process of erection.

Paul Morris, proprietor of the Victoria Hotel, has employed architects to plan for the addition of twenty rooms to the hostelry. Edmond Hoskin and George C. Cleaves recently completed an imposing brick business block, which contains nine apartments in the second story.

The demand for homes in Sonora is such that local land holders are having surveys made with a view to putting on the market choice building lots.

Patterson Man Is Hurt In Fall From Wagon When Horse Tramples His Face

PATTERSON (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—Frank Cox of Patterson is recuperating at his home from injuries received when one of the horses he was driving trampled on his face, after he had been thrown from his wagon.

Cox was rendered unconscious by the blow inflicted by horse's hoofs, and did not regain his senses for eight hours.

Salesman's Body Found Pinned Under Auto On Highway Near Turlock

TURLOCK (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—A. L. Drovilla, 114 Palm Road, San Francisco, a traveling salesman, was found dead on a highway near Turlock, pinned beneath his automobile, which had overturned.

The body was found at 9:30 o'clock this morning by C. F. Clamplitt of Santa Cruz and Frank O'Neal of Saquel, who were passing along the highway and noticed the overturned car.

There were no witnesses to the accident but it is supposed that Drovilla had applied the brakes and his car had skidded on the wet pavement. A heavy fog which was hanging low made driving dangerous.

The body is being held in Turlock pending word from relatives.

NEW OIL FIELD BRINGS IN HEAVY PRODUCING WELL

STANDARD OIL COMPANY PROSPECT AT WHALER RIDGE IS SAID TO BE GUSHER

(By Bee Bureau)

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 22.—An important new oil field is believed to have been discovered by the Standard Oil Company in the bringing in of a gusher at Whaler Ridge, thirty miles east of Bakersfield, and at least twenty-five miles from any other producing well.

The well came in with a production which is estimated by the drillers at anything from 500 to 5,000 barrels. The oil is twenty-eight gravity.

The Standard started drilling about eighteen months ago, putting down a test well which was abandoned. A new well was started about three months ago a half mile from the abandoned location.

KERN COUNTY MAN DIES AS RESULT OF CRASH WITH AUTO

LINNS VALLEY STOCKMAN SUC-CUMBS TO FATAL INJURIES

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 22.—Julian F. McKamy, well known Linns Valley stockman, died yesterday at Glennville, forty miles northeast of here, a short time after receiving fatal injuries when his automobile crashed into a tree on a curve and the car went out of control and over an embankment.

The driver was picked up shortly after the accident and rushed to Glennville, but the end came before medical aid could reach him.

McKamy was on his way to his home in Linns Valley when the accident occurred. He had been having trouble with the engine of his car and had been attempting to coast down one of the long grades. It is believed that the brakes may have failed to work in a curve and the car went out of control and over an embankment.

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McKamy was 60 years of age and was born in San Joaquin County, coming to Kern County when a child and settling with his parents near Glennville.

He is survived by a wife and two daughters; two sisters, Mrs. Alfred Harrell and Mrs. Caroline Harrell of Bakersfield, and a brother, John McKamy of Tulare.

CITY ENGINEER IS ELECTED BY MODESTO BOARD

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—The Modesto City Council at its meeting last night elected F. W. McCarton, for the past six years assistant engineer of the Modesto Irrigation District, city engineer.

McCarton succeeds George Vrieas, who recently resigned.

The new engineer was elected by a three to two vote over M. B. Nevin, Modesto surveyor, who was a candidate for the position.

According to present plans, McCarton will be a semi-city manager, the positions of street superintendent, building inspector, sewer inspector and water superintendent, being abolished and placed under his supervision.

YETTEM DAMAGE CASE IS TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

YRELLA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—Superior Judge W. B. Wallace has under advisement the \$5,000 damage case of M. G. Kapanian against M. S. Mohrman, both residents of Yrealla, the case having been submitted following a one-day trial concluded yesterday afternoon.

The plaintiff contends that the defendant caused his arrest April 9th last on a charge of disturbing the peace and that three days later the case was dismissed. He alleges the defendant acted with malicious intent and that the act has resulted in his reputation having been damaged.

County Chamber To Send Representative To Selma

SELMA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 22.—The Fresno County Chamber of Commerce will be represented by C. B. Jackson, at a meeting of the Selma Merchants' Association, which will be held Friday morning during the celebration of the Selma Merchants' Association Week.

Snow 16 Inches Deep Reported At Strawberry

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—Reports received here by the Modesto branch of the automobile association state that sixteen inches of snow covers the ground at Strawberry, a resort in Tuolumne County. At Crow Creek, which is a point considerably higher, twenty inches of snow is reported. Automobiles are still coming through, however.

Patterson Debaters Are Preparing For Contests

PATTERSON (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—The high school debaters are now devoting much of their time preparing for the first league debate, which is to be held Friday, December 8th, with Hughson and Denair.

The subject will be Resolved: That the International War Debt should be Cancelled. Benja Carson, Hughson, and Wallin Carson and Donald Olson will take part.

MRS. CROW SAYS MORRIS KISSED PLAYFULLY ONLY

Wife Of Wealthy Crows Land-ing Man Files Answer To Infidelity Charge

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—Denying charges of infidelity and intimate relations with R. L. Morris of San Francisco, Mrs. Angelyn H. Crow late yesterday filed an answer to the cross-complaint of Walter C. Crow adding another chapter to the sensational divorce case involving the son of a pioneer Crows Landing rancher.

"Says Relations 'Brotherly'"

Mrs. Crow declares that the relations of Morris with her, as with Crows, have been "of a brotherly nature," and with the full knowledge and consent of her husband.

Mrs. Crow filed the original suit in Alameda County several months ago seeking a share of the property she estimated at \$200,000, and alimony of \$500 a month, with \$2,000 for counsel fees. The case was transferred here for trial. Crow, in his reply, placed the value of his property at only \$75,000.

Admits Kissings

The answer of Mrs. Crow admits that she kissed Morris "in a playful manner" at the dinner table in the Crow home, near Newman, but that she had the consent of Crow for the kiss.

She denies the Hotel Manx affair, referred to in Crow's cross-complaint. Crow alleges that Morris visited her alone in her room in the hotel.

The Crows were married in Alameda in March, 1906. Mrs. Crow's divorce complaint asserts Crow refused to take her to places of amusement.

FINAL TOUCHES BEING MADE FOR LINDSAY FAIR

FIVE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE, ONE TRADE BOARD AND MERCHANTS TO MAKE DISPLAYS

LINDSAY (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—Concluding touches now are being given to the booths in the big tent in which Lindsay will house her first annual Community Exposition and Circus Show. The show is to open Saturday and continue till December 2nd.

With five chambers of commerce, one board of trade, Tulare County, eighteen packers and growers exhibiting citrus products and over forty-five merchants displaying their wares in artistically arranged booths, Lindsay will have a real "big show" entertainment. Open day the Boy Scout teams of Tulare County will have a competitive drill contest. Tuesday is baby show day and on Wednesday the circus will start the afternoon performance.

Special Days Announced

Special days have been set aside, Monday for Easter, Farmerville and Lemon Cove, Tuesday for Tulare with a special dairy parade review, Wednesday for Porterville, Thursday for Tulare County and Friday for Visalia.

LEVEES TO BE BUILT ALONG SAN JOAQUIN

RECLAMATION DISTRICT FORMED BY RANCHERS NEAR CROWS LANDING

CROWS LANDING (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—A group of farmers, headed by A. M. Cook and Nelson Brothers, has formed a reclamation district along the east bank of the San Joaquin River just north of the bridge on the Modesto highway.

A tract of nearly 4,000 acres is involved and it will be necessary to construct a levee some four miles in length. The major portion of the acreage is under water during the Spring rise of the stream, while the remainder is in danger of flooding only during years of unusually high water.

Last Spring the entire district was flooded, causing a loss to the district of nearly \$50,000, consisting of grain orchard, vineyard and vegetable land.

Charles Tullock of Newman has the contract for the construction of the levee and will use a line drag and an electrically operated dredger in performing the work.

Supplies For Power Workers Are Being Shipped To Piedra

PIEDRA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 22.—Work on the transmission line of the San Joaquin Light & Power Corporation hydroelectric developments on upper Kings River has begun.

Forty men are now in Piedra erecting a camp of fifteen tents, repairing the cook house and unloading cars of supplies. Four trucks are transporting supplies to the upper camps.

Hughson Church Making Extensive Improvements

HUGHSON (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—The interior of Saint Anthony's Catholic Church is being finished in a most up to date manner.

The church will have, when the work is done, one of the most pleasing interiors in the county.

The dance platform of the Catholic hall has been moved under shelter, a hall being erected for that purpose at the rear of the parish house.

Fight And Fine Follow Oakdale Man's Carousal

OAKDALE (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—Joe Espinosa drank a little too much moonshine liquor here and started to climb on everyone who came in his pathway. He attacked A. Moreca with a carving knife when Moreca tried to get him to desist. Moreca was armed with a pistol, he took a shot at Espinosa but his aim was poor and the two men then engaged in a fist fight.

City Marshal Wood was summoned and placed Espinosa in the city jail.

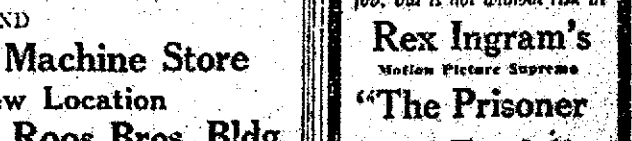
Espinosa was fined \$10 this morning by Justice Owen Wilkinson when he appeared before him charged with being "drunk and disorderly." He paid the fine.

CHANDLER-NEUMAN AND White Sewing Machine Store Now in New Location

1318 J Street Roos Bros. Bldg. Phonographs, Sewing Machines, Records and Supplies

Rex Ingram's "The Prisoner of Zenda"

Mr. Anthony Hope



SEARCH ENDED FOR MAN LOST IN THE DESERT

Nevada Relatives Unable To Solve Mystery Of Man's Disappearance

TONOPAH (Nev.), Nov. 23.—J. L. Bradford and his nephew, J. Hansen, from Schurz, reported to the sheriff's office that they had completed their search for the missing O. C. Jacobson, of Bakersfield, Cal., to whom they were related. No traces of the man lost on the desert were found, although the men having spent a whole week combing the country in the vicinity of Warm Springs.

The third search began one week ago when five men resumed trailing the lost traveler. The country is badly broken and the mystery of the disappearance is intensified by the fact that he abandoned his car in a canyon where it would have been impossible for the man to have climbed out.

The searchers found plenty of evidence that Jacobson was faltering and his lungs weakening because where the trail was found the footmarks would circle small hills instead of going directly across. Even these marks all returned to the bottom of the canyon. The men were unable to find the man, but they have arrived at the conclusion that the body will be found only by some range rider stumbling across it accidentally.

Porterville High School To Have Patrons' Day

PORTERVILLE (Tulare Co.), Nov. 23.—Tomorrow, Nov. 24, will be Patrons' Day at the Porterville Union High School, according to a general invitation issued to the public by W. A. Ferguson, principal. On that date classes will be held as usual, but the afternoon will be given over to the exhibition of the work of the student body in all lines of scholastic activity.

Included on the program will be an exhibit of the work of the manual training shops, the domestic science and home art departments, the machine shops and other vocational education departments. The exhibit will be reviewed by the faculty and the cadet officers will be given their commissions from the governor. Girls' classes will give an exhibition of folk dancing, and will serve tea in the cafeteria. Musical numbers during the afternoon will be provided by the cadet band and the girls' glee club. Parents are asked to visit classes in the morning as well as to attend the afternoon special program.

Funeral Of Delano Man To Be Held To-Morrow

DELANO (Kern Co.), Nov. 23.—Funeral services for George Scott, aged 65, of Delano, who passed away in this city November 21, will be held at 2 P. M. November 24 from the family residence, three miles east of Delano.

The deceased had resided in Delano sixteen years.

He is survived by his wife, Nora Olive Scott, four sons, George R. Jesse, Mr. William S. and Leland D. all of Delano; three daughters, Mrs. Nora Dyer, Mrs. Viola Cramer and Edna Scott, also of Delano; and three brothers, Joseph and Arthur of Orland, Cal., and J. B. Scott of McFarland.

Interment will be made in the Delano Cemetery.

Paul Henke Nominated Lemon Cove Postmaster

By Leo A. McClatchy

WASHINGTON, D. C., Bureau, Nov. 23.—The nomination of Paul Henke to be postmaster at Lemon Cove, Tulare County, Cal., has been sent to the senate.

WHY?

We opened Our Store Aug. 1st, 1921, at which time the prevailing price of first grade mixed paint was \$4.20 per gal.: white, \$4.40 per gal.

As far as we know there has been no reduction in wholesale cost—white lead, oil, and turpentine have advanced—but the prevailing price now is \$3.45 on standard mixed paints and white \$3.65.

Our Price Is \$3.35

All Colors

WHY?

Scott Craig Co.

"We are not price cutters, we sell for less."

2501 Tulare Street
Phone 6595

SAN JOAQUIN PERSONALS

PIEDRA.

Mr. and Mrs. William Y. Jastram and Mrs. J. Jastram were callers in Piedra.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jastram left for San Francisco Monday, where on Thursday Mr. Jastram will sail for Yokohama, Japan, near where he will operate a quarry. Mrs. Jastram will return to Fresno, where she and Mrs. J. Jastram will take an apartment for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Perry of Fresno have recently moved to Piedra. Mrs. M. J. Sanborn returned to her home in Pasadena after having spent a week at the guest of her son, Stanley, and daughter, Mrs. L. M. Elwood.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rockwell of Long Beach are new comers in Piedra.

George D. Winters left for Bakersfield to-day, where he will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. L. M. Elwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jastram resigned his position at Piedra to accept one in Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Canan and daughter, Ruth, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Gert Jastram.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pinkston and son, Shelby, have returned from Texas to make their home here. Mr. Pinkston is a graduate of the University of California, and his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Raypholtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis are improving after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. H. C. Chenoweth, who conducted the quest, have arrived at the conclusion that the body will be found only by some range rider stumbling across it accidentally.

DINUBA.

T. C. Lathrop, assistant general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific at San Francisco, and Grover C. Drake, San Francisco passenger and ticket agent of the same company, were Dinuba visitors yesterday.

C. H. Foster and daughter were visitors in Dinuba Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harper of Santa Cruz are visiting with friends in Dinuba this week.

The Misses Mabel Patten and Laura Pittman with Twinn Giddings and Stacey Terry motored to the mountains Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Carlson had as week-end guests her sister, Mrs. H. Carlson, and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Plinker of Oakland.

RICHGROVE.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Westworth of Edison spent Monday in Richgrove looking after the packing of their fruit.

Carl Young and Carl Geldes of Terra Bella were in Richgrove Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Coddington and Mr. and Mrs. Henry King of Delano were visitors at the J. W. Reed home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plegrow and family attended the show in Delano.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tanner and family were in Delano Saturday.

Mrs. O. E. Martin of Bakersfield were in Richgrove Monday.

TRANQUILITY.

Morris Williams, James Johnson and Ralph Vandehall arrived by motor from Cambria, Wis., having started August 6th and arriving in Tranquility November 15th. They stopped at various points of interest en route and report very fair roads and scarcely any motor troubles. They expect to look for a location in this state and make it their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Voorhees visited with relatives in Riverdale Sunday.

W. A. Draper and E. A. Brauer motored to San Joaquin this week.

ZEBRA.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Ward and Mrs. J. H. Ward motored to Madera.

Claude Williams was a Zebra visitor here last week.

Joe Slater called on several friends at O'Neals.

Jack Spillane and family visited the J. R. Slater family.

Tom Sisk was a Fresno visitor on Saturday.

Arthur Arancibia motored to Madera.

Nick Quanchi of Madera was among the hunt hunters Sunday.

Mrs. O. E. Chiswood is visiting her daughter at Salinas.

RAISIN CITY.

J. H. Shay motored to Dinuba Sunday and spent the day with friends at that place.

C. J. Bender and wife drove to Terra Bella to attend a meeting of the Mennonite brethren at that place.

Harry Bennett's father is visiting him from Ellsworth, Kan. He expects to spend most of the winter here. He has lived in Kansas for more than thirty years and is now trying the winter for a change.

J. H. Baugher made a business trip to Los Angeles over Sunday, where he completed a trade for the hotel property. William McDonald disposed of all of his property here to Baugher. McDonald does not give up possession until he can close up his business here.

C. C. Hutton returned home from a visit with his brother and other relatives near Anaheim.

HUBBELL.

Mrs. Mary C. Garner and daughter, Martha, and Charles Taylor of Fresno were in Hubbell Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Comilla Leonard attended the Pacific Slope Dairy Products Show in Fresno on Saturday.

Milo Jensen was a Fresno business visitor on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ipsen and daughter, Jennie, of Easton were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jensen and family.

NEWMAN.

Mrs. Ellen Simmons of Crows Landing spent Tuesday here shopping.

Miss Jean Sutto has resigned her position with the telephone company here.

Philip Giorzo and Melvin Miller are at Volta this week repairing the Simon Newman warehouse there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dutra and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Correa are home from a business trip to Stockton and Sacramento.

WINTON.

Brice Atkinson and Winfred Wagner of Crows, delegates from the Stanislaus-Mered Christian Endeavor Union were visitors of the Christian Endeavor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Roberts are here for a few days' visit in San Jose.

Mrs. Sarah East and daughter, Mrs. Cecil Hickenbotham are spending a few days in Stockton.

OKADALE.

H. E. Middleton and family have departed for their old home in Nebraska, where they will visit friends and relatives for the next few months.

Workman and bride have returned from their honeymoon and Workman has accepted a position with a local lumber company.

Dr. I. B. Thompson, who practiced medicine in Okadale for many years, is now associated with Dr. J. V. Cravotto in Stockton.

Carl F. Heston has been confined to his home for the past few days, suffering from a severe cold.

A large number of the Woodmen of the World attended the golfing in Stockton Saturday evening.

The Boy Scouts committee of Okadale, consisting of E. D. Heron, R. L. Acker, Charlie Sipe, J. C. Carpenter and Hugh Appaling, attended the annual meeting of the county officials last evening at Modesto.

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VISALIA.

W. H. Tipton and Hugh Mooney are transacting business in San Francisco this week.

Mrs. James Merritt of Woodland is here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gilliam.

Eric Segerstrom of Sonoma is here looking after ranch interests near Woodlake. He is planning quite extensive development work this winter.

Herbert Bunker, son of W. M. Bunker of the Union District, suffered a fracture of the right arm yesterday when his automobile "kicked back" as he was cranking it.

John P. Walker was painfully bruised yesterday when his automobile "kicked back" and the crank struck his right arm. No bones were broken, however.

Frank C. Adams, formerly of Visalia, but now with the Sperry Flour Company, spent a few days visiting relatives and friends here the first of this week.

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Three Arrested For Violations Of Traffic Law

BERRENDA (Madera Co.), Nov. 23.—Three motorists were cited for violation of the motor vehicle laws here by traffic officer J. McCusky yesterday. James J. Hartwell of Hollywood was charged with driving forty-nine miles an hour, while Eugene McLean of San Francisco was charged with driving forty-five miles an hour. Both were fined \$5.00 each. Hartwell was also charged with driving without a license. All were cited to appear before Judge R. G. Cronell of Chowchilla.

Funeral Services To-Day For Bakersfield Woman

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 23.—The funeral of Mrs. Mable Sanders, who died at her home in Bakersfield, Nov. 18th, will be held in Bakersfield to-day, Rev. Earl H. Fife officiating.

The deceased, who was the wife of Victor W. Sanders, was well known in this vicinity, being survived by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cope, of El Centro. Other surviving relatives are four sons, Roy, Ernest, Eugene, and Kenneth; four sisters, Mrs. W. E. Edwards and Mrs. C. M. McCormick of Bakersfield; Mrs. Hazel F. Kruse of Taft; and Miss Edna B. Bakersfield; and a brother, Wilbur Cope, also of this city.

Kern County Candidates File Expense Accounts

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 23.—George E. Taylor, candidate for county treasurer at the recent election, has filed his expense account, showing an expenditure of \$289.40. Jerry R. Shields, also a candidate for treasurer, gave his expenses as \$369.77.

Arthur Weaver, for recorder, spent \$278. and H. C. Rambo, defeated candidate for county supervisor, filed an accounting for \$41. Edward V. Jones, who defeated F. W. Bunnell for justice of the peace in the Sixth District, filed an account, showing expenditures of \$259.15.

Work Is Started On New Berenda Grammar School

BERRENDA (Madera Co.), Nov. 23.—Work was started yesterday on the new \$10,000 grammar school building.

The building will contain two class rooms and a large auditorium. At present there is no suitable building that is available for public meetings, and the auditorium will be a welcome addition to the city.

Five acres of ground have been purchased on which to erect the building, which will give a large play ground. Shade trees will be planted and other improvements added.

TURLOCK STARTS DRIVE

TURLOCK (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 23.—An extensive drive for Red Cross membership is being conducted in Turlock and vicinity.

Yesterday a committee of Red Cross members consisting of A. P. Ferguson, Mrs. Paul Gibson and D. J. Walton visited some of the district schools, distributed supplies to the children and interested them in the Red Cross work.

SPEEDER IS CITED

BERRENDA (Madera Co.), Nov. 23.—C. C. Neff of Sacramento was cited to appear before Judge Cronell of Chowchilla for doing forty-three miles an hour. Traffic Officer J. Harrison made the arrest.

Kern County Farm Bureau To Have Meeting Saturday

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 23.—The annual meeting of the Kern County Farm Bureau is scheduled to take place on Saturday, November 25th, at 1:30 P. M., in the Kern County High School. In addition to the annual election of officers, reports of various department heads will be delivered for consideration.

Among the many important items of business to come before the meeting is a constitutional amendment, providing for a decrease in the annual dues of the farm home department from \$5 a year to \$2.50. This amendment will be included in the candidates for office appear.

F. W. Brewster, president of the organization, will preside at the session.

WOUNDED BOY RECOVERING

VIKALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 23.—Frank Schlemmer, who was shot Halloween night by Otto Lubdorf while attempting a seasonal prank, has now fully recovered from the effects of the seventy-odd bullet shot which entered his abdomen and body. Fifty of the shot have been removed.

WOOD CHOPPER INJURED

TULOCK (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 23.—Lawrence Ware sustained a painful accident yesterday while cutting wood. The axe slipped and cut his foot so badly that three stitches had to be taken by a doctor.

Exeter Centers On One Candidate For Queen

EXETER (Tulare Co.), Nov. 23.—Miss Hazel Ross and Miss Charlotte Welch have resigned in favor of Miss Ethyl Wheeler in the race for queen of the Lindsay Citrus Show, November 25th to December 2nd. This will give Miss Wheeler 25,500 votes and will put her well up among the leaders.

The Exeter Chamber of Commerce will exhibit the fruits of the district at the fair.

PATTERSON BOY DIES

PATTERSON (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 23.—Eugene Powell, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Powell, passed away at his home in the Patterson Colony Tuesday morning of double pneumonia, having been ill only a very short time.

AUBERRY GIRL RECOVERING From Serious Injury

AUBERRY (Fresno Co.), Nov. 23.—Little Vivian Tivis, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tivis, who fell from a chair and dislocated her neck, and on Friday last was taken to Clovis for an operation, will recover. It is believed, though still in a dangerous condition.

Fowler Japanese Pays Fine For Having Liquor

FOWLER (Fresno Co.), Nov. 23.—K. Kanayama, who was up before Justice Caldwell last week for having wine in his possession, appeared again before the judge yesterday and was fined \$125 which he paid.

FIRE PREVENTION DAY HELD AT TAFT SCHOOL

TAFT (Kern Co.), Nov. 23.—Taft fire prevention was the subject under discussion yesterday at the Conity Grammar School, the program being under the direction of Mrs. F. E. Hayden. The students showed that they had given the question thorough study.

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Information For The Traveling Public

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" Berkeley 6:48 p.m. daily
Ar. Omaha

Additional Valley News

Modesto Trustees To Ask Bonds To Improve Schools

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—The trustees of the Modesto School District at a meeting last night, decided to call a bond election for an issue of \$125,000, to increase and improve the grammar school facilities in Modesto.

The statements made by Jay W. Stevens, fire prevention expert, before the Lions and Exchange Clubs yesterday, regarding the condition of the Sixth Street School were considered by the board.

Stevens stated that it was a crime to send children to the Sixth Street School, claiming that it was a fire trap, and was in such condition it was liable to fall down at any time.

Non-Union Men At Work On Parlier School Job

PARLIER (Fresno Co.), Nov. 22.—Work was resumed on the Parlier Grammar School to-day following a 48-hour interruption on account of disagreement between the teachers' union and the contractors, with a number of non-union plasterers on the job.

Tuesday morning the union called all plasterers off the job because non-union men had been employed by the contractors, who stated that they were unable to secure enough union men to carry on the work.

In accordance with a clause in the contract, the Building Trades Association of Fresno was given forty-eight hours notice to furnish sufficient union plasterers for the work. Upon their failure to-day to furnish the needed men, the contractors exercised their privilege of employing any plasterers that could be obtained, regardless of their standing with the union.

Briefs Are Submitted In Visalia Land Litigation

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—Superior Judge J. A. Allen has ordered the case of Hollis Singh against H. F. Taylor submitted on briefs after the court will take the action under advisement. The case is a contest for the right to the land near Merced, in which Singh, a Hindu, and his partner, now in San Quentin, lost their ranch near Merced when Hollis Singh says, Taylor took forty acres of land, forcing the signing of some papers concerning which he knew nothing. He demands the return of the property, \$3,000 exemplary damages, and costs, and \$1,000 rent from Taylor for the time the latter was in possession.

Exeter Motorcyclist Hurt When Hit By Automobile

EXETER (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—Leonard Thompson, 17-year-old son of Mrs. E. L. Thompson of Exeter, was injured when he was struck by a car yesterday, when in alignment from the rear seat of a motorcycle upon which he had been riding with a companion he was struck down by a passing car.

Play To Be Presented By Lemoore Students

LEMOORE (Kings Co.), Nov. 22.—An operetta entitled "On Plymouth Rock" will be offered to the public this evening by the pupils to help swell the piano fund of the Lemoore Slough School.

Lemoore Firemen Give Home Talent Minstrel

LEMOORE (Kings Co.), Nov. 22.—The home talent minstrel show given by the Lemoore firemen last Tuesday and Wednesday nights was a success in all respects. Packed houses greeted the burnt cork artists and a tidy fund was raised for the Lemoore Slough School.

Visalia Pleads Guilty To Driving While Drunk

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—A plea of guilty was entered by Jack Mason, well known Dinuba automobile while intoxicated. Superior Judge J. A. Allen set this afternoon as the time for pronouncement of judgment and at the same time it is expected that an application for probation will be made by the defendant.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS IN THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

BIRTHS
LAWRENCE—In Dinuba, Tulare County, Nov. 21, a daughter, to Mrs. Lawrence and Mr. Lawrence.

MARRIAGES
MARRIAGE LICENSE—Tulare County, Nov. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, of Dinuba, by Rev. Douglas T. Brown.

DEATHS
NASH—In Visalia, Tulare County, Nov. 21, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Nash, of Visalia, by Rev. Douglas T. Brown.

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FARRINGTON—In Visalia, Tulare County, Nov. 21, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Farrington, of Visalia, by Rev. Douglas T. Brown.

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COLLINS—In Visalia, Tulare County, Nov. 21, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Collins, of Visalia, by Rev. Douglas T. Brown.

Seventeen More Join Big Clan At Exeter

EXETER (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—The population of Exeter was materially increased yesterday with the arrival here on the Santa Fe, of seventeen new settlers from Ashton, Arkansas. All are members of the Briggs family, whose numerical strength in Exeter now numbers over 100.

The new arrivals are almost all cousins of the members of the Briggs clan now located here, and when the party left Arkansas the total was twenty-four; but seven of the settlers deserted the party enroute, being attracted by other places.

Porterville Man Denies Theft Of Funds From Lodge

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 22.—Charged with having stolen funds of the lodge to the approximate amount of \$1,500, Harold Kelland, secretary for the Loyal Order of Moose in Porterville, has been lodged in the county jail on an embezzlement complaint.

\$3,015 Is Asked For Death Of Girl Killed By Auto

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—A. A. and Isabella Wallis have filed suit in the superior court for damages against Joseph Rosa, a Stanislaus County rancher, who is alleged to have been charged with the death of Leola Wallis, the 20 year old daughter of the couple.

Failure To Break Trains At Crossings May Cause Arrest Of Rail Employees

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—The city council at its meeting last night discussed the possibility of placing bonds on the railroad employees under arrest here who failed to cut freight trains in two, while they were stopped in the city.

Lemoore Rancher Home

LEMOORE (Kings Co.), Nov. 22.—Louis Decker has returned from Nebraska where he went the first of the month to buy his wife who died here in last of October.

Madera Trustee Resigns

MADERA (Madera Co.), Nov. 22.—Trustee E. E. Bosman has resigned his resignation to take effect on December 31.

HOME IS BURNED

DENAIR (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—Fire destroyed recently the home of D. Carlino at his ranch, three miles from town.

NEWMAN PLANS DANCE

NEWMAN (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 22.—The dance committee met at the chamber of commerce office Tuesday evening and completed arrangements for the auto park benefit to be held Thursday evening, November 23.

BLIND GIRL COMING HERE

ELIZ Cheever, blind Syrian girl, will arrive in this city within a few days after two weeks at Ellis Island, according to A. P. Harter, local attorney. This is a girl who has been made by the migration authorities to depart the family to Syria. The family consists of Mrs. Margaret Cheever, father, Majlan and Eliza Cheever. They are to make their home here.

LUNCHEON CLUBS HELP RED CROSS

Kiwanis And Exchange Aid In The Sixth Annual Roll Call

Red Cross roll call activities in Fresno were speeded up to-day with the entrance of two of the noon-day luncheon clubs in the drive and the receipt of reports from various parts of the county of the initial success of the sixth roll call.

Kiwanis and Exchange Club members, following their luncheon to-day, adjourned earlier than usual and set out in the business district for the purpose of mopping up on scores of potential Red Cross members. Through the joint efforts of the two clubs nearly \$457 was raised toward the \$15,000 quota, this work being carried on under the direction of Henry Arilla, D. L. Newman and Bert Harvey of the Exchange Club, and of Charles Barnard, Dean G. H. E. MacDonald and Charlie Meyers.

Vice-President Calvin Coolidge to-day sent a message to local Red Cross headquarters, as did Alice Ames Winter, president general of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

William Glass, chairman of the roll call drive committee, announced to-day that the support of clubwomen throughout the county has been of tremendous aid in carrying on the roll call and that the appeal of the Red Cross has been brought to the attention of every club in the county.

The Red Cross has spent \$1,000, 000 for relief work within the borders of this country the past year. There have been seventy-two disasters by fire, flood, hurricane and pestilence. Suffering in each of these has been lessened and the Red Cross has been able to give this time.

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The following women are selling memberships in the Red Cross down town to-day: Miss A. A. Braver, Mrs. Oscar Collins, Mrs. Braver, Mrs. William Bates, Mrs. George Huntington, Mrs. W. J. Elliott.

CIVIC CLUBS LAY CHRISTMAS PLANS

Organizations Will Work In Concert During Holiday Season

Civic clubs and other organizations of Fresno that intend to conduct charitable work during the Christmas season will this year act in concert so that there will be an equal distribution of the contribution of each body among the various institutions of the city.

Several organizations of the city have already decided the direction which their charitable intentions will take. The meeting to-morrow night will eliminate any duplication of effort.

Fresno Fraternal No. 10, Solos, proposes to take care of poor and needy families by distributing Christmas dinners in Fresno and to accomplish this by distributing to these members have been asked to give an average of \$1.25. This means that the more generous will have to contribute \$5 apiece to effect the average. This committee appointed to have charge of the Christmas tree fund consists of Ed Morris, chairman, Sig Levy, C. H. Staples, Lee Waddell, George H. Hall, May W. Baker and Robert H. Kelland.

The Solos Christmas tree fund will be enlarged by the proceeds derived from the second annual trophy concert which will be held Saturday night in the Masonic hall. A banquet in the Masonic Temple will follow the concert.

Christmas activities of the Rotary Club will be directed to its annual Christmas party for the old folk at the Old People's Home. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Peter Rasmussen, chairman, Frank Puller, E. A. Devereaux and H. Z. Austin. The Rotary Club will also provide a Christmas treat for twenty patients at the county hospital.

Liquor Charges Are To Be Heard To-Day

The Trial of Norman Rush, Charged With Possession of Intoxicating Liquor in Violation of the Volstead Act, Began This Morning in the Court of United States District Judge Oscar A. Trippett.

The trial of Norman Rush, charged with the possession of intoxicating liquor in violation of the Volstead Act, began this morning in the court of United States District Judge Oscar A. Trippett. The jury was impaneled yesterday morning and the case continued until to-day.

Yesterday afternoon Joe Toschi and William Banducci of Bakersfield were dismissed after a trial by jury. They were charged with transportation and possession of liquor.

Mack Meader, assistant United States attorney, prosecuted the case with S. Ellis, special assistant United States attorney.

Interstate Commerce Official In Fresno

C. F. Hoover of the Bureau of Service of the Interstate Commerce Commission Reached in the City to-day Before Leaving for Los Angeles

When the federal official made a report on the freight car shortage during his brief stay here recently he expected to return and spend a week in Fresno County surveying conditions.

During Hoover's brief stay in the city to-day he does not intend to confer with any shippers or make additional trips through the valley, as his time is limited and he found that nothing of importance can be accomplished during this short visit. It is possible, however, that he will return later to make further investigation of car conditions.

CRUELTY CHARGED IN DIVORCE

Mrs. Mattie W. Craig of this city filed a divorce complaint yesterday against her husband, a painter and decorator.

Crucial charges were made in the complaint which also makes the charge that Craig called his wife obscene names. They were married December 15, 1920, and separated October 15th, this year.

MOVIE SHOW TO AID RED CROSS

Old Clothes Received In Lieu Of Usual Admission Fee

Children with old clothes only. No other money apply. Such is the price of admission to the Liberty Theater Saturday morning at the Red Cross morning matinee. A famous movie for a bundle of old clothes is a fair exchange in the opinion of the Red Cross.

Errol Johnson, Dorothy Dalton, Louise Glauco, and a fine cast will play The Three Musketeers in pictures for the benefit of the Red Cross salvage shop through the courtesy of George F. Sharp.

Saturday morning, when all the errands are done and it is time for play, hundred of Fresno youngsters will pick up all the old clothes especially their own and fathers, which are just taking up room at home and not doing anyone any good, to them into a nicely wrapped bundle, and hurry down to the Liberty Theater.

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Advance Ten Points
To-Morrow Morning**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The Western Refinery announces an advance of ten points for refined sugar to-morrow morning. The granulated base will be 37.50 per

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Foreign exchange opened easier. Sterling 44 1/2, off 1/4; francs .0718 1/2, off 9/4; lire .0663 1/2, off 1/4; marks .0601 1/2, off 1/4.

Foreign exchange closed irregular. Sterling, 4.49½; francs, .0131½; lire, .0469; marks, .0001 3-16.

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EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE BEE

America Will Turn Deaf Ear To All Such Pleas

George Clemenceau, former premier of France, in an address in New York, criticized the post-war attitude of the United States.

He even went so far as to blame the American government for the troubles and critical condition in which Europe now finds herself.

He drew a gloomy picture of the menace of another war on that continent, and finally urged that America abandon her position of aloofness, and join with France and England in the enforcement of the Treaty of Versailles.

For Clemenceau, the man, millions of Americans have the highest admiration. His love of France is unquestioned. His zeal in what he believes to be her vital interests is known to all the world.

But when he takes it upon himself to advise this country what it shall do—particularly when he comes here insisting that America involve herself in the intrigues and the diplomatic strifes of post-war Europe—the best that he can hope for is a respectful hearing.

And when he begins to criticize the United States, and at the same time is silent on Allied selfishness, Allied plottings and Allied intrigues which will arouse the just resentment of patriotic Americans.

M. Clemenceau sees a danger developing in the Near East. But who is responsible for that? Let us see what an American authority, a man who knows conditions in that district perhaps as well as any man in the world—William T. Ellis—has to say about it.

Writing in a recent issue of the Review of Reviews, he said:

The representatives of the Entente have been too ready to further their individual national ambitions and interests. It was each for himself and the devil take the hindmost. Good faith vanished and the diplomacy of intrigue, of imperialism and commercial greed once more was established on the banks of the Bosphorus.

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AN EXPRESSION OF OPINION BY THE MOST BENEFITED



THE BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

Paddy the Beaver Explains

By THOMAS W. BURGESS

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Paddy and Mrs. Beaver chuckled as they watched the expression on Peter Rabbit's face when he was told who Mrs. Paddy was. It was so surprised that it was quite a full minute before he could find his tongue. When he did he stammered, "Yes, sir, beaver."

"I-I-I am ever so glad to meet you, Mrs. Paddy," said he. "I-I-I didn't know you were here. I-I-I thought you were on a journey."

"You wouldn't know if I should tell you," replied Paddy. "I was back near my old home, I like a vacation in the summer, and I always take one. This year I thought I would go to my old home."

"Wasn't it very dangerous to make a long trip like that?" Peter interrupted.

Paddy nodded. "It was rather dangerous," said he. "But I kept in near the water most of the way, and, as you see, I am back safe and sound."

"And you brought Mrs. Paddy back with you?" inquired Peter.

"Of course," replied Paddy. "You don't suppose she would have come alone, do you? She came back with me and we arrived only a short time ago, just in time to start work to prepare for the winter. You see it will take twice as much food for this winter as it ever has before because there will be two of us to eat."

"Will you use your old house?" inquired Peter.

"We certainly will," spoke up Mrs. Paddy. "There isn't time to build a new one, even if we wanted to. We will have all we can do to harvest our food. That house is plenty big enough for two, and I am sure we shall pass a very comfortable winter there. Paddy is a good builder, if I do say so."

Peter nodded. "He's the best builder I know of," said he.

Paddy looked pleased. "I'm glad you think so, Peter," said he. "I had a good vacation, but it certainly is fine to be home again. I hope you'll be home soon. I don't want Mrs. Paddy to get so lonely. She'll want to go back home."

"The idea of suggesting such a thing!" cried Mrs. Paddy, pretending to be indignant. "This is home now, and as long as I have you I'll never be lonesome. Don't you think, my dear, that we should stop gossiping and get to work? I really think that we ought to build that other dam we were talking about. It will save us a great deal of work in getting our food supply."

Instantly Peter picked up those long ears of his. At once he was all curiosity. "A new dam? he exclaimed. "What under the sun do you want of a new dam and where would you build it? I should think you would be satisfied with the dam you have. I would if I were a beaver."

"If you were a beaver I suspect you wouldn't have any dam at all," said Paddy with a twinkle in his eye. "You would be too lazy to build a dam. You probably would go wandering about until you found a place where you could live in a hole in a bank. I've seen beavers of that kind. Mrs. Paddy is quite right, and we have got to build a dam. If you'll excuse us, Peter, we will get to work at once."

"At the same time he begged to be allowed to watch them at work. And this they were very glad to have him do, so together they set off up the Laughing Brook above where it entered the pond.

The next story: "Paddy and Mrs. Paddy Plan a New Dam."

Can You Tell?

By R. J. and A. W. BODDIER

No. 22—Why Married Women Wear Wedding Rings

The wedding ring of our day is a relic of barbarism. It is claimed we owe its origin to the Romans, but there is a great deal of evidence to show that it goes back as far as the early Egyptians, Babylonians and Hebrews, and even beyond that.

The wedding ring is a direct descendant of the time when wives were bought. In the days of the early cave-men wives were secured by the "fight-and-take" method. Later some genius discovered that by giving the bride a part of the purchase price in the form of goods, and as metal was the most valuable thing to be had, payment was usually made in metal and the wife was then given a small piece. Eventually this was made into a ring, becoming the badge of the married woman.

Some tribes marked their wives in other ways. Some tattooed their faces or other parts of the body. In one tribe in South Africa to-day, even, the husband backs his wife up against a tree and with a wedge or stone knocks out a couple of her front teeth.

The first bridesmaids were merely personal attendants upon the bride. The senior bridesmaid or maid of honor was with the bride for several days before the wedding. Her duties were numerous, among them that of taking charge of all preparations, decorations, making the bridal wreath and dressing the bride. The ushers of our modern weddings were originally armed attendants, who accompanied the bridegroom for protection.

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Correct English

A Daily Quiz

When RECEPTION is being created anew, how is it pronounced? When it means refreshing diversion? What is amiss with the sentence, "The self and guests are invited?" To which word of a compound noun is the sign of the possessive added?

Answer to Wednesday's Questions: Books of the Bible given with chapter and verse may be abbreviated as Gen. xx, 5.

The shorter form, SYLLABICATION, is preferred to SYLLABIFICATION. A SERAGLIO, pronounced "sair-ah-lee-oh," is a sultan's harem.

Say: "The Lords Justice and the Lords Provost retired."

BRAVE HUBBY (From the London Telegraph) The women were talking over their tea. They had discovered the characters of their friends and then the conversation began to flag. By and by one of them referred to the burglar scare because she wanted to call attention to the fact she had quite a number of things worth stealing.

"Speaking of burglars," she said, "I heard a noise the other night, and, thinking of my silver and jewelry, I got up at once and there, below the bed, I saw a man's leg sticking out."

"Good gracious!" exclaimed the other women, "were they the burglars?"

"No," said the first speaker, "they were my husband's. He had heard the noise too."

Merely Some Private Thinks By C. K.

DWIN R. A. SELIGMAN is McVicker Professor of Political Economy at Columbia University.

In a recent number of the New York Times was a lengthy article by him in which he declared the debt of the Allies to the United States is not a just debt; that it should not be collected; that the Allies saved us and that the more than eleven billions of dollars we lent them was very little payment for the debt of gratitude we owe them.

Professor Seligman says also that "nearly every prominent European statesman" favors the cancellation of these debts.

That is about as sensible an argument as it would be if Tom Jones owed John Robinson \$100 and suggested that it would be in the interest of harmony and peace and general morality and righteousness if Robinson would forgive the debt altogether, because Jones had always been friendly and had done him some favors!

The fact in this connection, however, is that the Allies didn't fight for us, nor fight our battles.

The war in Europe was none of our affair prior to our entrance therein. In fact, some of the very best citizens who afterwards fought in the world war favored Germany far more than they did Great Britain prior to the firing upon the Lusitania.

And they had just as much right to do that, and they were just as loyal American citizens as the others who favored the other side.

It might be asked: Why does Columbia University allow Seligman to be its teacher of political economy?

A man who views a great international question through the spectacles of alien nations, disregarding entirely the interests if not the absolute rights of his own country, and the justice of her position, should not be permitted to inculcate his un-American and anti-American ideas into the brains of growing young men.

It would be interesting to know if Edwin R. A. Seligman is a relative of the Seligmans of international banking fame.

The postoffice department will force all who get their mail through the general delivery to furnish a definite address after thirty days.

This is an endeavor to stop the use of the postoffice for the exchange of secret love letters.

In Sacramento the old enclosed telephone booths in the postoffice were removed from the lobby and replaced by desk telephones, on the ground that the booth telephones had become "mere dating machines."

Because Uncle Sam is old and virtuous, shall Cupid be deprived of his pranks?

Josephus Daniels, ex-secretary of the navy, writes of a recent assertion by Minister Harvey:

He does not advance such a heretical opinion because he thinks women have no souls, but because his name has disappeared from the headlines of the newspapers, and he can not get it back there unless he does something outrageous, or makes some new kind of an ass of himself.

Daniels' petulant jibe may remind some of the old saying about the pot calling the kettle black.

SCIENCE SIMPLIFIED

Conducted By EDWIN E. SLOSSON, Ph.D., M. S.

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EFFECT OF THE TIDE ON THE LENGTH OF THE DAY

In the movement of the waters brought about by the rise and fall of the tide, there is, of course, produced friction which consumes energy. And this energy can come only from the energy of the earth's rotation. In other words, the friction of the tide acts as a sort of brake on our rotating earth, tending to reduce its speed of rotation and as a consequence tending to make the day longer.

But the stock of energy possessed by the earth is so enormously great as compared with the friction produced by the tide, that it is only by a very minute quantity that the day is lengthened because of tidal friction, even over a long period of years. And while attempts at an accurate mathematical determination of this amount of lengthening of the day have thus far been unsuccessful, it is estimated that at the present time it amounts to something like the one thousandth part of a second in a hundred years.

Now the thousandth part of a second in a century is altogether too small a quantity to be measured by any means at our command; but there is absolutely no question that tidal friction tends to produce this lengthening of the day. And the interest of it lies, not in its effect on the present time, although it shows that our earth is not the mathematically exact time-keeper it is thought to be, but rather in the glimpse that it affords us of the remote past and the distant future.

For no matter how minute the rate of lengthening of the day may now be, it is to be remembered that tidal friction has been operating for untold ages, so that the cumulative effect must by this time be considerable. And furthermore, the mathematician can prove quite conclusively that in the early history of our earth the effect of tidal friction was much greater than now; in fact, thousands or millions of times as great. He therefore can take us back to a time in the remote past when the earth rotated around its axis once in four hours instead of once in 24 hours as it is doing now.

Looking forward into the future, the mathematician, by the aid of his formulas, comes to the conclusion that in consequence of the friction of the tide, the time will come when it will take the earth fifty-five of our present days to rotate once around its axis, or in other words, the day will then have 1,220 hours instead of twenty-four hours. But to the query as to how far in the future that time is, he hesitates to answer, since all the factors involved are not accurately known. There is no question, however, that we must reckon that time in millions of years, and if one multiplies this a hundred fold or even more, there is nothing to prove that he has overestimated the time.

Public Thinks

Readers of The Bee are invited to express through this department their opinions on all subjects, including The Bee. No attention will be paid, however, to anonymous communications. The writers' names and addresses must be enclosed with each communication, except in cases where the matter discussed is of such an obviously delicate or personal nature as to cause the writer embarrassment by such publication. Letters should be limited in length to 250 words. If they are not, the Editor reserves the right to cut them down to that limit. It is emphasized that this column belongs to The People, and that nothing will be published from it on account of conflict with The Bee's editorial opinions, but The Bee expressly disclaims responsibility for all sentiments expressed hereto.

SAYS CHILD SHOULD DIE

Editor The Bee—Sir: I say this baby girl should die. No, this child knows nothing. It will never be missed, and may God Almighty grant the parents a huge blessing next time.

What good can it ever be? Should it be much less than that of a genius, who alone should be? Each day would make life miserable for those who waited for a darling baby to love. The heart-ache of that poor little mother—God forbid! Its death would be a blessing.

There is no greater gift on the earth than to bring a child into it. I am a blessed mother of two beautiful children, a son of thirteen and a daughter of fifteen. But at the time of their birth had there been any such terrible trouble I would have prayed to God, and meant it, to take them away.

This father's plea should be granted. Who alone should be a genius? When I was a girl at Cony Island there were many such sights. Time did away with that. But it left its mark on many that were to come. God forbid.

Yours respectfully, F. R. W. Fresno.

November 28.

The above letter was called forth by a news item, which the writer enclosed, telling of the child recently born in Chicago with neither arms nor legs, and of its father's plea that it be scientifically put to death.

Editor The Bee—Sir: May I ask one question in your paper? Yours respectfully, FEIN BULLARD, Madera, Cal. November 17.

The first plans for a heavier-than-air flying machine, consisting of scientific notice are those of Leonardo Da Vinci, the famous artist whose Mona Lisa is known all over the world. The first successful flight was made by the Wright brothers in December, 1903. This flight lasted fifty-nine seconds.

It is impossible, therefore, to say who invented the airplane. The idea is even older than Da Vinci. But to the Wright brothers belongs the credit for having first made the idea a practical possibility.—Editor Bee.

RUNNING DEADLY WEAPONS

Editor The Bee—Sir: I see by the papers that the county is thinking of putting on more speed cops, which of course makes more expense to the county. What sense does it do to arrest speeders when they get off with a paltry fine of \$10?

I do not think you will stop speeding until a man is punished sufficiently for running a deadly weapon. But we need more speed cops. We will never have until we have more speed cops.

Yours respectfully, K. WADG. 2440 White Avenue. November 15.

With The State Press

THE JAPANESE RULING (From Oakland Tribune)

Decision of the supreme court that Japanese are not entitled to citizenship by naturalization will have far-reaching effects in putting an end to propaganda and quieting contests, which have been raged here and there by individuals who have appeared from various pretensions various states have given to the laws. It is a decision to be welcomed by this country and Japan as putting an end to uncertainty in the position of Japanese, what both countries have always believed to be the case.

Japan will admit the law applies to her citizens with no more severity than Japanese laws apply to foreigners of all kinds. For the keeping of its own kind to its own sons, Japanese law is a model of efficiency, and it may be argued, fairly, a restricted acreage and immigration population are restricted for the provisions.

When land and naturalization questions are discussed between the United States and Japan in the future, the position of the Japanese will be given an unanimity hitherto lacking because of various attitudes of the states in which the Japanese have settled. California is shown to have proceeded with the correct interpretation of the law.

OUR GLACIAL EPOCH

(From Visalia Morning Delta)

Those inclined to count the truth of the charges of incompetency brought against the Wilson administration should read the letters of Franklin K. Lane edited by his widow, and just off the press. Lane was secretary of the interior for a cabinet of seven years, and in a position to have intimate knowledge of the conduct of the government. He pictures the president as slower than a glacier, and as late as February, 1917, more than a month after the severance of diplomatic relations

with Germany and less than two months before the actual declaration of war, he writes of Wilson as out of sympathy with preparedness. "The army and navy," wrote Secretary Lane, "are so set and stereotyped and stupid that I am almost hopeless as to moving them to-day. Stars and Morpheus in one." But we needed through the war in spite of it all, and the people are now paying the cost.

RAVENS IN ORIENT

(From Visalia Daily Times)

An interesting account of the manner in which Chinese exchange operates finally to return to the growers the money for their raisins sold in the Orient is given in a recent letter written to the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers by Thomas H. Knight, representative in Shanghai.

Said Knight: "If you wish to see how the growers will finally get their gold for the raisins just work it backward. The vendor pays the dealer in cash. Ten cash equals one copper. The dealer takes the copper and buys silver. At present, 45 coppers will buy one Mexican dollar. With the dollar or silver, the dealer buys tacks and pays us. We, in turn, with the tacks buy gold and send it home."

THE CADDIS'S SUGGESTION

A clergyman playing on the famous rolf course at St. Andrews got into the bunkers called "wells." He asked his caddy why the bunker was so named and was informed that it was because once a player gets into it he cannot get out. Calling for a bunkie, the clergyman made a fine shot and landed his ball on the shore. He turned to his caddy. "What do you say to that now?" he asked triumphantly. "All I have to say, sir, is when you see a caddy with a well," answered the youngster.

Yours respectfully, K. WADG. 2440 White Avenue. November 15.

The Truth About Kate Gartz 'Innocent Martyr'

Kate Cranel Gartz, of Pasadena, who occasionally achieves newspaper fame by the possessing of a million dollars and the frequent urge to condemn the United States as the oppressor of mankind, has turned her batteries upon President Harding.

Leonardo Magon, whose contribution to the war was his constant efforts to prevent American success, dropped suddenly dead at Leavenworth Prison upon his release from a five-year sentence for his obstruction of war activities.

Whereupon the watchful Kate telegraphs President Harding a practical accusation of the murder of an innocent martyr.

All that the dear delightful martyr did was his best and finest to prevent this country from waging a successful war. With American boys in the trenches Magon and various others, some still decorating the interior of jails, worked their hardest along lines, which if successful, would have meant the defeat of our army and the killing of thousands of our soldiers.

The harsh government put him in jail, the President refused to release him, death took him and the President is supposed to be responsible.

This country was too lenient with thousands who at a crisis in the life of the nation did all in their power to kill her.

Not jail, but death, should have been given many of the traitors who stabbed their country in her hour of trial.

Magon was convicted of a specific offense, sentenced for a definite term and the end of the war did not mean he had served the sentence properly his.

That he happened to die at the expiration of his term is insignificant and inconsequential compared to the deaths of hundreds of our brave soldiers who perished at the front for lack of proper medicine, poor equipment and a paucity of training.

Kate Cranel Gartz may cry over her "martyr."

She cries alone.

For the country has thousands of heroes to mourn without shedding tears over one who did his best to impede the fight those brave men made for their country.

Of like nonsense is the sympathy extended to William Broas Lloyd, millionaire of Chicago, who yesterday began his penitentiary sentence after conviction with nineteen other I. W.'s.

Lloyd had a fair trial, an impartial jury and a just judge, and as the outcome he rests in Joliet penitentiary.

He violated the law.

His millions failed to save him. The country refuses to be stirred, either by the death of Magon or the imprisonment of Lloyd.

They unjustly warred upon society.

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RICHARDSON ECONOMY PLAN WOULD MEAN POOR OFFICIALS

The economy plan of cutting in half the salaries paid important state officials is being tried out by Friend W. Richardson through the medium of newspaper dispatches wherein the Governor-elect is in nowise committed to the plan.

However, it meets with his considerable approval, otherwise it would not have seen the light of day.

The present salary of the superintendent of banks is \$10,000 a year. That official has enormous powers and heavy responsibilities and the right sort of man could not be secured for a smaller salary.

The proposal also calls for paying the real estate commissioner \$500 a month, which any real estate man will testify is not sufficient in those paucity days to secure a man of sufficient experience to fill the position.

The director of public works, in charge of all road building and all the public works of the state, is to be cut from \$10,000 to \$3,000, which is not sufficient to secure an engineer of the skill necessary.

The state insurance commissioner is not overpaid at \$5,000.

In job of the other officers mentioned, cuts might reasonably be made, but it will be poor economy indeed to fill the important positions of the state government with men without sufficient experience and proper skill.

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WHO is the treasurer of the United States?

WHY is the Democratic party so called?

WHAT is the largest of the planets?

WHEN was the North Pole discovered?

WHERE is the North Cape?

Answers to Yesterday's Queries: George R. M. Harvey is the American Ambassador to Great Britain.

As freight causes the heart to dilate, paleness naturally results from the consequent withdrawal of a part of the blood from the arteries.

Tomatoes were formerly called "love apples."

Persons are said to be "logueous" when they are given to constant talking or chattering.